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HEAVY REVERSE SUFFERED BY THE JAPANESE AT CHINGKUANKIAO

Unable To Make Inch Of Progress From Kuling

War Situation Reviewed By General Chen Cheng

Hankow, August 19. Growing indications of Japanese inability to continue their drive westward along both the south and north banks of the Yangtze from Kuling with Hankow as their final objective, were reviewed by General Chen Cheng, official Chinese military spokesman, yesterday.

Blindly feeling their way first on the south, then on the north, and finally again on the south, the Japanese found each time they were up against strong Chinese defence. Having suffered heavy losses and completely exhausted, the invaders are now waiting for reinforcements which their high command has found difficult to draw up.

The invaders suffered the heaviest reverse during the last week in the vicinity of Chingkuankiao, near Kuling, where the Chinese launched a number of lightning attacks and accounted for at least 1,000 Japanese, including several officers. Large quantities of ammunition were also seized.

The main force of the invaders, recoiling from their spearhead, have now retreated back towards Kuling.

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Japanese Lost 13,000 Men In July

SLAIN BY CHINESE GUERRILLAS

Hankow, August 19. A Chinese report estimated that Chinese guerrilla forces inflicted over 13,000 casualties among Japanese troops in North China during July and captured over 2,000 rifles, 150 machine-guns and over 100 boxes of munitions.—(International).

ACTIVE IN HOPEI

Chinese guerrillas in Hopei have been very active during the past several days when they advanced in all directions, the largest column exceeding 4,000 men in number.

As a result of a fight with the guerrillas the Japanese lost over 150 men. Most of the districts in east Hopei are in the Chinese hands, and Chinese flags are seen all over the place.

In view of the increasing activities of the guerrillas, the Japanese have sent reinforcements from Peking to guard the Chinwangtao area.—(International).

Punitive Measures In Egypt: 37 Arabs Killed

Jerusalem, Aug. 19. A large detachment of British soldiers carried out punitive measures on Arab franc-tireurs, west of Acco, in the north of Palestine yesterday, bringing aeroplanes into action.

Thirty-seven Arabs were killed and two were taken prisoners, according to an official communiqué received here this morning.

British losses were two dead and eight wounded.

Among the Arabs killed was one well-known ring-leader. It further became known that on the return from the so-called punitive expedition the Manchester Regiment fell into ambush, when immediately attacked by well-armed irregulars.

Only after the arrival of British military reinforcements did the Arab irregulars retire to the hills in a northerly direction.

One British plane is said to have been damaged.

A bomb was thrown in Tel-Aviv seriously wounding two Jews and slightly injuring two others.—(Transocean).

R.A.F. CRASH

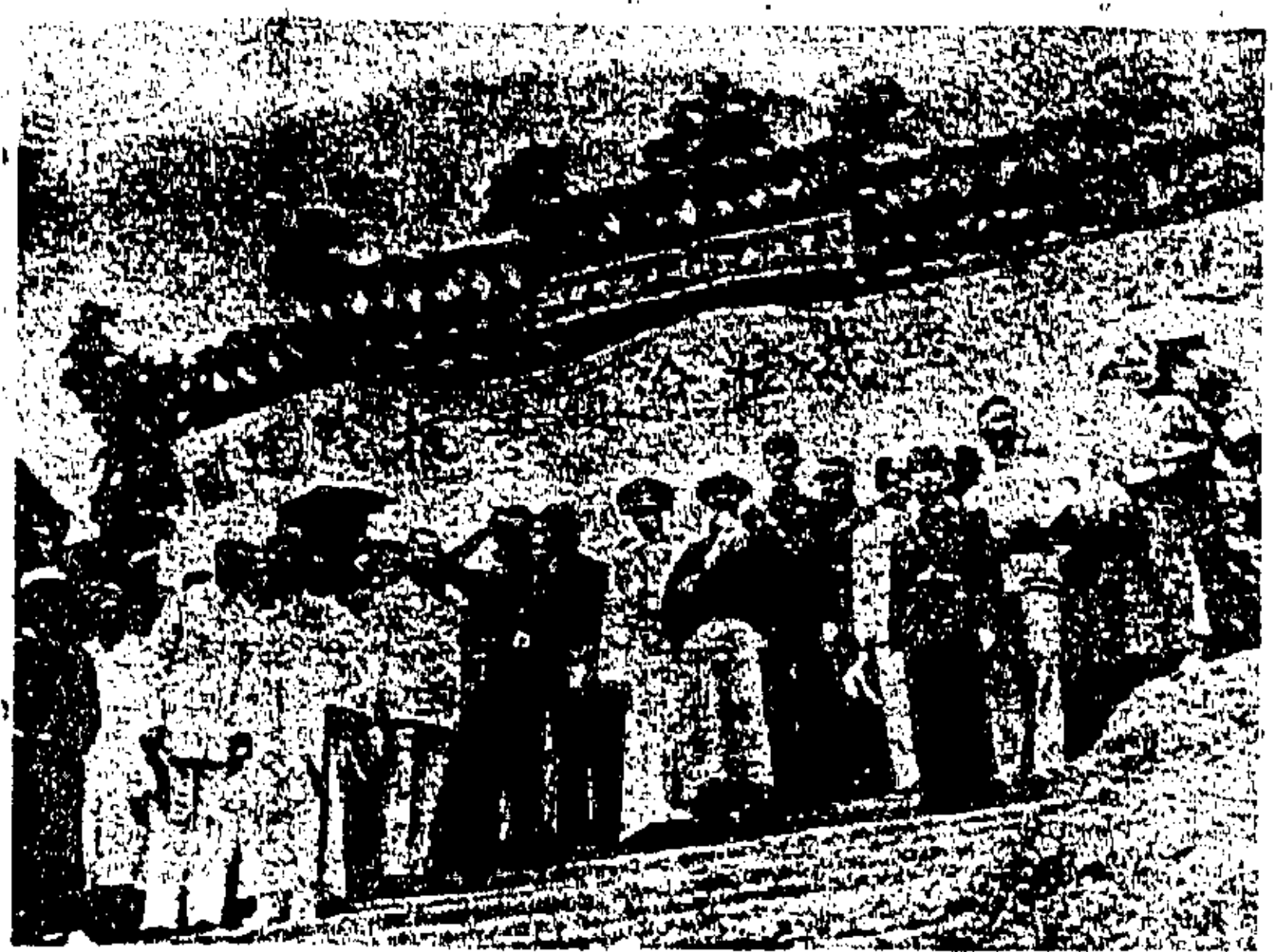
Jerusalem, August 19. A flying officer and an aircraftsman were killed in an air crash in Palestine today, while a member of the Irish Guard was killed in a battle against brigands in which four guards of the Black Watch were wounded.

Ten Arabs are reported to have been killed in the engagement.—(Reuter Bulletin).

TWO JAPANESE TRANSPORTS DAMAGED

Tunkli, Anhwei, August 19. Two Japanese transports sailing upriver from Wuhu was hit and damaged by Chinese artillery fire from the shore day before yesterday, according to military reports. One of the Japanese vessels received serious damages on the sides and was seen foundering, while the other hastily limped down stream.—(Central News).

GATHERING AT CHUNGKING



Mr. Lin Sen, Chairman of the Chinese National Government, and several Ministers of State, are seen in the above picture on the occasion of the arrival of Mr. Wang Ching-wei, Foreign Minister, at Chungking recently. (Photo C.M.P.S.).

Increase In Civil Service Salaries

Paris, August 19. The invitation of French Communists to Socialists to join forces with them in demanding the re-assembling of Parliament in August was described by M. Leon Blum, leader of the Socialist party, as "hardly favourable at this moment."

The leader of the Communist group in the Chamber, M. Jacques Duclos, has announced this morning, has just addressed another open letter to M. Leon Blum in which he insists on the old demand that the Chamber be convened to vote the creation of an old age insurance and increase of salaries in the civil service.

The Socialists, who do not think that the ground as yet is sufficiently prepared for the overthrow of the Cabinet, do not want Parliament re-opened before late autumn.—(Transocean).

SINGING BABY



Prof. Ettore Pellegatti, well-known cellist, proudly holding Luigi Igor, his eight days' old son. Judging by Luigi's vocal prowess Prof. Pellegatti says he should like to train him up as a singer.

NEW AIR RAID SIREN TEST

The Air Raid Precautions officer announces that it is proposed to carry out a trial with a new air raid warning siren on Tuesday at 2.30 p.m.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S SPEECH WARMLY RECEIVED

American Opinion May Have Practical Aspect, Says News-Chronicle

IMPORTANT INCURSION INTO WORLD POLITICS

London, August 19. President Franklin D. Roosevelt's speech at Ontario yesterday was warmly received and was given pride of place in the majority of this morning's newspapers.

The Daily Telegraph and Morning Post describes it as one of the utterances that changes the fact of things and, coming on the morrow of Mr. Cordell Hull's speech, is a contribution to stability at a moment when a plain and unambiguous speech may be a potent for good: American opinion is being marshalled beneath the standards of freedom.

"The speech becomes part of the history of the British Empire," says the Daily Herald.

The News-Chronicle says that President Roosevelt's pledge to Canada shows that American opinion, as he and Mr. Hull interpret it, may have a most practical aspect, and persistent challenge will bring that aspect into increasing prominence.

"A grand speech and an important incursion into world politics," comments the Daily Express. "If President Roosevelt succeeds eventually in getting the approval of the American people for his policy (though the people are at present 90 per cent in favour of isolation) and America eventually decides to intervene in Europe then the British Commonwealth will have to reconsider their policy, for any such change would transform our problem," adds the paper.

The Daily Mail says that the speech will gain the widest appreciation in Britain. But the American people have not abandoned their determination to keep out of any troubles which might convulse other continents.—(Reuter).

LARGE-SCALE CLEARANCE OF BANDITS

Canton, August 19.

A large-scale clearance of bandits in the Hundred Thousand Mountain ranges, which forms the boundary between Kwangtung and Kwangsi, has been effected by the military authorities of both provinces.

Following the bandit suppression, General Huang Hsu-chu, Chairman of the Kwangsi Provincial Government has suggested co-operation with the authorities here, to establish an area as a settlement for the refugees.

When the plan is carried out, the settlement will accommodate at least 1,000,000 people.—(International).

Opium Found On Person Of Japanese

Shanghai, August 19.

When police officers opened a van, in which had been brought witnesses to the shooting of Mr. Loh Lien-kwei, one of the leading Chinese officials of the Shanghai Municipal Police, for questioning, into the station compound they found among them a Japanese dressed in Chinese clothes named Kitaji Morishige.

When searched he was found to be carrying 20 one-ounce packages of prepared opium which he told the police he intended to sell in a village about 15 miles from Minghsong.

Morishige said that he obtained the drug from a Chinese in a local hotel for which he paid \$250. He has been handed over to the Japanese Consular police.—(Reuter).

Mission Is Greeted By Raid Alarms

Barcelona, August 19.

Within 24 hours of their arrival to investigate the bombing of open towns in Spain, members of the British Mission were disturbed by three air raid alarms, and the 100th raid within the city.

Early this morning, eight Nationalist planes bombed the heart of the old city, resulting in 14 persons being killed and 90 injured.—(Reuter).

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Ambassador Emphasises Soviet's Policy Of Peace

Hankow, August 19. Maintenance of peace is the keynote of the fixed foreign policy of Soviet Russia, declared M. Luganets Orelsky, Soviet Ambassador to China, who recently returned here from a long leave of absence, in an interview with a Ta Kung Pao correspondent yesterday.

In coping with the recent Changkufeng incident, M. Orelsky said, Soviet Russia was pursuing this policy.

Soviet Russia, he asserted, entertains no aggressive designs on other countries but will not tolerate encroachment upon her territory.—(Central News).

While taking a catch, the Test player, Wright (Kent) injured the first finger of his bowling hand. The ball struck the end and forced back the nail.

Wright retired, but the doctor considers he will be able to play in the Test.—(Reuter).

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London Silver Market

(Our Own Correspondent)

London, August 19.

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LORRY DRIVER ASLEEP IN MOVING VEHICLE

TRAFFIC CASES HEARD AT CENTRAL COURT

Apparently falling asleep while sitting in front of the steering wheel and allowing an unlicensed driver to take control of the lorry, were what the prosecution alleged against a lorry driver, Chan Foo, when he appeared before Mr. Butters at the Central Court yesterday. He was charged with dangerous driving and permitting an unlicensed driver to drive a motor vehicle.

Chan Tim-ming, who had control of the lorry during Chan's sleep, was jointly charged with dangerous driving and driving without a valid driver's licence.

Traffic-Sergeant Appleton told the Court that he was on duty in

Stübs. Road just outside the cemetery gate on Thursday. He saw a lorry coming towards him. The driver appeared to have been asleep and the man next to him had control of the truck.

Both pleaded guilty to the charges. Chan Foo was fined \$50 or a month's hard labour on the first count, and \$25 or another two weeks on the second. Chan Tim-ming was fined \$25 or two weeks hard labour.

Warrant Issued For Arrest

Simon Lee appeared on four summonses for driving without a valid licence, driving in a wrong direction, driving without light and failing to stop when called upon to do so by a police officer.

Defendant had failed to appear to answer on many occasions when his name was called, and a warrant had been issued for his arrest.

Defendant was fined \$50 on the first count, \$5 on the second, \$10 on the third and \$25 on the last.

Sequel To Fatal Accident

R. W. Smith, residing at No. 1A Causeway Hill, appeared on a summons for driving without due care and caution and failing to maintain his motor car in good order. The foot brakes, it was stated, were not efficient.

The summons was taken out following an accident in Hennessy Road about 7.45 p.m. on August 2, as the result of which a small girl had died from injuries received.

The case was adjourned till September 8, as defendant pleaded not guilty to both charges.

Did Not Renew Licence

Lieut. A. P. Trevor of the 8th Heavy Battery, was cautioned for failing to renew his car licence on August 5. Defendant pleaded guilty and said that he had intended to comply with the regulations, but held back because he was on the point of buying a new car.

B. I. Bickford, of the Colonial Secretariat, was fined \$5 for driving without a valid licence on August 2.

For leaving his car unattended outside Marina House on August 3, N. Tinkankin, of the Hong Kong Jockey Club, was fined \$5.

For a similar offence, A. O. G. Mills, of the R. A. Mess, Lyemun Barracks, was fined \$5.

FIVE CHARGED FOR POSSESSION OF OPIUM

Committal proceedings were begun before Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday against Chan Ah-you, a seaman, and four unemployed, Chiu Wing-chiu, Cheung Chung-bun, Kwan Hol and Ng Yan-kam, who were charged with the possession of opium.

The first four defendants were arrested at No. 169, Gloucester Road, where 225 taels of the drug were found.

Ng Yan-kam was arrested in the adjoining house, with 250 taels of raw opium in his possession.

Mr. H. L. Kwan appeared on behalf of Ng Yan-kam, Chan Ah-you and Chiu Wing-chiu, and Mr. D. L. Stralsett for Cheung Chung-bun, while Mr. D. McCallum represented Kwan Hol. All pleaded not guilty on behalf of their respective clients.

LOCAL ESTATE

Letters of administration de bonis non have been granted to Mr. Yung Teck-foh in the matter of the local estate of Mr. Yung Myuk-chuen, alias Yung Myoke-choon, retired general store keeper, who died in March, 1937. The estate was sworn under \$48,000.

An application for letters of administration to the estate of the late Mr. Gow Loy, alias Ngo Yick-ling, made by Mr. Ngo Sing-chin, was also granted. Deceased left local estate valued at \$1,700.

CHILD'S DEATH FROM SCALDS

Jury's Rider At Kowloon Inquest

The inquiry into the death of Choi Chi-keung, four-year-old male child who had, on June 4, died at the Kwong Wah Hospital from scalds resulting from a fall into a tub of boiling water two days previously, was concluded at the Kowloon Court yesterday before Mr. Barnett, sitting as Coroner, and a jury comprising Messrs. Feodor Serebriener (foreman), H. F. Rosario and Chen Chi-nan.

The jury returned a verdict of death by misadventure.

The child had on June 2 been taken to his grandmother's home. Wandering away into another room, he had there fallen into a tub of boiling water. Hearing his cries, the grandmother rushed to his aid. He was taken by his parents to the Kowloon Hospital. The Medical Officer on duty had refused the parents permission to stay with their child overnight in a public ward. The father signed a form, assuming full responsibility for the child's future welfare. He was then permitted to take him away.

There being no improvement in the condition of the boy, the parents took him to the Kwong Wah Hospital. As there was no private ward available, he was again taken home. On his being brought to the hospital yet again, the doctor in charge permitted a servant to stay with the child overnight, the parents leaving him at the hospital.

On June 4 the condition of the child became serious. He died on the same day.

The police were not informed of the child's death.

Dr. Ng Yuk-king, of the hospital staff, testified that he had told the nursing-sister on duty to report the death to the police. The sister on duty, and all the other nurses called to give evidence, disclaimed receiving such an order. It appears that such orders were given verbally to the sister on duty and were also written down on a board.

ENGLISH TEXT

The text of the form given the father to sign at the Kowloon Hospital, before he was permitted to take the child away, was an English text. A nurse gave a verbal translation, the father signing.

Giving evidence yesterday, the father stated that he would not normally have signed the translated version, had it been presented to him in written form. He would have been the better able to judge of the grave responsibility that he was taking upon himself.

As a rider to their verdict the jury added:

The jury wishes to make the following suggestions, that

1. If the doctor of a hospital considers the removal of a patient inadvisable, this should be explained, wherever possible, by the doctor himself to the persons concerned.

2. The Chinese version of the text of the form, given the responsible party to sign, on their wishing the removal of a patient from the hospital against the advice of a doctor, be also printed on the form.

3. Proper records be kept at the hospitals of all advice to the police in respect of accident cases.

JUROR FINED

A fine of \$5 was imposed by the Magistrate on one of the Jurors in the Choi Chi-keung death inquiry, Cheng Chi-nan, who had been 40 minutes late at the hearing on August 15.

SEQUEL TO CAR ACCIDENT

Mr. A.H. Potts Brings Claim For Damages

Arising from an accident on July 9, when his car was allegedly struck from behind by a lorry and thrown into the harbour, Mr. A. H. Potts, well-known local stockbroker, brought a claim for damages of \$1,000 against Tsang Ping-hoy, owner of the lorry, in the Summary Court yesterday before the Acting Puisne Judge, Mr. Justice E. H. Williams.

Mr. Potts was represented by Mr. H. N. Chau, while Mr. W. A. Mackinlay, of Messrs. Deacons, appeared for the defendant. Hearing was fixed for September 22.

It will be recalled that as Mr. Potts was driving towards town from his residence in Mount Davis Road about 7 p.m. on July 9 his car was thrown into the harbour following an accident in which lorry No. 2788 was involved. Mrs. Potts, who was also in the car at the time, suffered a cut over the eye, while both she and Mr. Potts received a ducking.

YOUNG SNATCHER SENTENCED

A 19-year-old unemployed named Li Lam was given two months' hard labour by Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday for snatching a handbag

H.K. LANDLORDS CALL MEETING

Association To Be Formed

Chinese landlords in Hong Kong are to form themselves into an association for the purpose of determining a standard scale of rentals and generally protecting their collective interests.

IMPORTANT CASE

A blown tin of condensed milk, the punctured lid re-soldered, was produced at the Kowloon Court yesterday, before Mr. Barnett, as evidence against Ko Leung-chin, charged with exposing for sale, at an address at Shanghai Street, tinned food in an unwholesome state.

Defendant did not appear in person to answer the charges.

"This case is one of considerable public importance," Mr. Barnett said, "And I want the defendant in court."

The case was adjourned for a week.

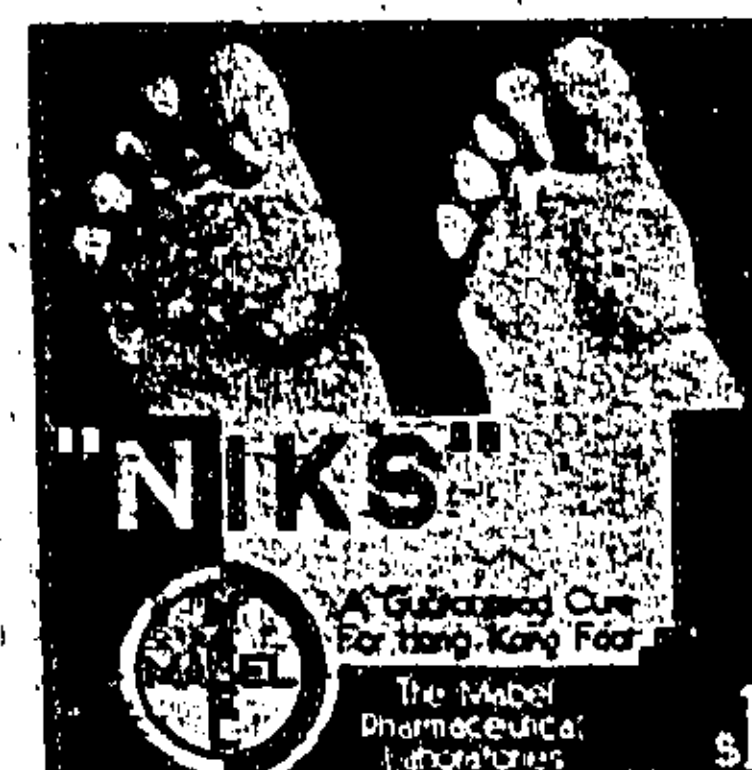
containing \$22.05 from Mrs. A. H. Rumlahn, in Caine Road on Monday.

Detective-Sergeant H. B. Dewar was an eye-witness of the incident, as he was proceeding along in a car. He arrested defendant after a short chase.

At a preliminary meeting held on Thursday at the Chinese Merchants' Club, it was resolved that the Hong Kong Chinese Landlords' Association be formally instituted on September 1.

The meeting arose out of the efforts of Mr. Tai Tung-pui, who presided, and among those present were Messrs. Li Sing-kui, Li Koon-tsun, Li Jowson, Tam Woon-tong, Fung Ping-wah, Fung Ping-fan, Tso Tsun-on, Tang Kang-por, Yu Yat-yue, Leong Kwai-tin, Ma Tsui-chiu, Lo Yuk-tong, Lo Chun wan, Chiu Lam-lun and Li Heung-kuk.

Mr. Tso Tsun-on was appointed honorary secretary of the proposed Association.



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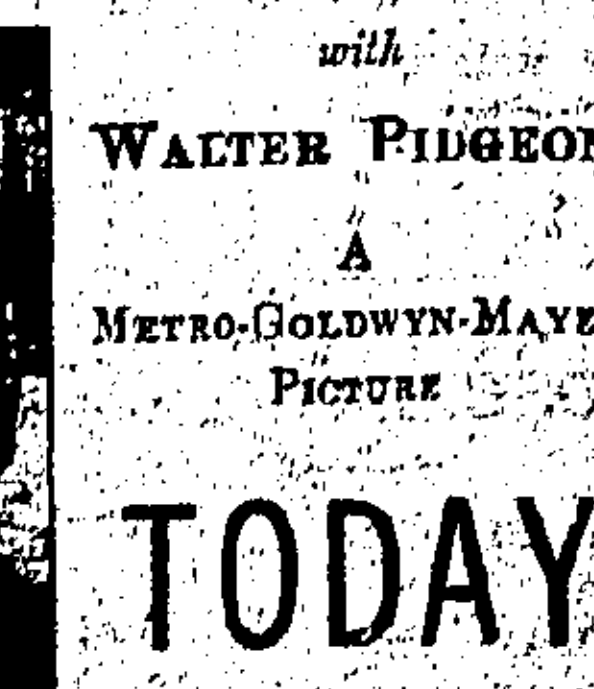
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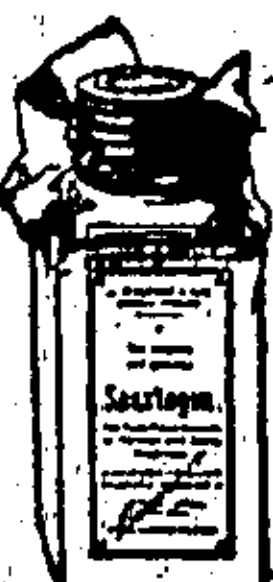
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PAGE FOR THE CHURCHES

CATHOLIC NEWS AND NOTES

CONFESSOR OF THE FAITH

This term causes a certain amount of confusion to people who are not familiar with Catholic terms, because they are inclined to believe that it must have some connection with confession, and they find it hard to realise its meaning when it is applied to saints. The word really has its origin in that message of Christ: "Every one that shall confess Me before men, I will also confess him before My Father who is in heaven." A confessor is therefore one who acknowledges his faith in Christ.

In the early days one who acknowledged his faith generally paid the penalty of death, so the term "confessor" usually meant a martyr. Later, when the term "martyr" became the accepted one, to describe a person who was put to death for his faith, confessor came to be applied to one who showed his faith in Christ by the example of a good life and the practice of virtue.

Hence it came to be used of one who was a saint but not a martyr, and it is in this way that it is used at the present time.

THE ENGLISH POPE

While France is celebrating the thousandth anniversary of the birth of the first French Pope, English people are reviving the memory of the only Pope of English birth by building in new church at his birthplace. This Pope was Nicholas Breakspear who after being successively a wandering scholar, a monk of the Order of St. Augustine in Southern France, a Cardinal and Papal Legate to Scandinavia, was unanimously elected Pope in 1154, under the name of Adrian IV.

Tradition says that he was born at what is now known as Breakspear Farm, near the town of Abbot's Langley, in Hertfordshire. For quite a long time there was no church in this district, but now the Salvatorian Fathers who are in Abbot's Langley intend to erect a church there. Adrian was one of the Popes who came into conflict with the fiery German King, Frederick Barbarossa, to whom he awarded the imperial crown.

It was in his attempt to control the election of Adrian's successor that Frederick came most violently into conflict with the Holy See and began a quarrel which lasted for close on thirty years.

HARROWDEN HALL

Mention was made recently of the Barony of Vaux of Harrowden which was allowed to pass to a female heir and will pass after her death to her son, a Benedictine

monk, Harrowden Hall, the family seat, is one of the old Catholic country houses that was a stronghold of the Faith in Penal times. When the late Lord Vaux wished to add to it a chapel which could be used by the people of the neighbourhood he had one built as an exact copy of a beautiful Gothic chapel erected 500 years ago by Archbishop Chichele, the founder of All Souls' College, Oxford. Thus the house becomes once more a centre of Catholic life in Northamptonshire, as the old house that it replaced was in the sixteenth century. The Mrs. Vaux who lived there in those days was a gallant lady who, in spite of constant visits from the King's Pursuivants, sheltered many Jesuit priests, including Fr. Gerard, whose life in England was so adventurous.

OTHER "HALLS"

Two other "Halls" came into prominence in Catholic news in England recently because they were visited by Queen Mary. One was New Hall, between Chelmsford and Chester. It was in the reign of Henry VIII that the Hall was "new" and at that time Thomas Cromwell, who is remembered as the man that managed the suppression of the monasteries, bought it for five shillings, and later on exchanged it for Hampton Court, which afterwards became a Royal palace.

Now New Hall is a Convent conducted by nuns whose history as a community goes back before the days of the French Revolution. From New Hall the Queen Mother went to Ingatestone Hall, the Essex home of the Petre family, one of the oldest Catholic families in England. The present owner, Lord Petre, is the seventeenth of his line.

It is said of this family that a representative of it figured in every persecution of Catholics that ever took place in England. One holder of the title died in the Tower of London as a victim of the Titus Oates plot.

EMMANUEL MISSION CHURCH

The following are the Services for the forthcoming week at Emmanuel Mission Church, 218 Nathan Road:—

Saturday, 8.30 p.m. Fellowship Meeting followed by the Lord's Supper.

Speaker, Mr. Eric Cox. Sunday, 11 a.m. Divine Service. Preacher, Rev. M. B. Birrell.

Subject, "The Sin of Worry; its Cause and Cure." Sunday, 3 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Classes.

Sunday, 8.30 p.m. Gospel Service preceded by Song Service at 8 p.m.

Preacher, Rev. G. G. Phillippe. Monday, 8 p.m.—S.A.C.A. Blackboard Meeting.

Wednesday, 8 p.m. Praise and Prayer Meeting.

Thursday, 10.30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study Circle at No. 216 Nathan Road.

Friday, 8 p.m. Bible Study Circle at No. 3 Ho Man Tin Street, Top floor, conducted by Mr. C. R. Jonsson.

All are welcome.

No collection on Sunday Evening.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

August 21—11th Sunday after Pentecost. First Mass and General Communion at 8 a.m.

Second Mass at 10 a.m., followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

On week-days, Holy Mass at 8 a.m.

Confessions are heard every day before and after Mass.

On Saturdays, the special time for Confessions is from 4.30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

ENGLISH METHODIST CHURCH

WANCHAI HONG KONG (ENGLISH CIRCUIT)

Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong (Opposite Royal Naval Hospital).

Sunday Services, August 21, 1938. Preacher, Rev. F. Evison.

Morning Parade Service at 10.15 at the English Methodist Church.

Hymn No. 29, Prayer, Lord's Prayer, Hymn No. 721, 1st Lesson, Hymn No. 213, 2nd Lesson, Prayer, Notices, Hymn No. 611, Sermon, No. 596, Benediction.

Evening Service at 7 o'clock at the English Methodist Church.

Hymn No. 716, Prayer, Hymn No. 283, Lesson, Prayer, Notices, Hymn No. 729, Sermon, Hymn No. 431, Benediction.

NOTICES FOR THE WEEK

Following the Evening Service, a Social Hour will be held in the "S. and S. Home" at 8.15. All Servicemen and civilians are warmly welcomed.

On Tuesday, August 23 there will be a meeting for Prayer in the "S. and S. Home."

ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH

The Sailors' Home and Seamen's Institute, Hong Kong

CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday next 10th Sunday after Trinity.

8 a.m. Holy Communion. 11 a.m. Sung Eucharist and Sermon.

Preacher Rev. Cyril Brown. 8 p.m. Short Evening Service. N.B.—The Church is open to the general public.

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

NOTICES

August 21—10th Sunday After Trinity.

8 a.m. Holy Communion. (Communicants' Fellowship). 11 a.m. Mattins.

Preacher: The Bishop. 12.15 p.m. Holy Communion. 8.30 p.m. Evensong.

Preacher: The Rev. E. W. L. Martin.

WEEKDAYS

Holy Communion is celebrated on:—

Tuesday, 7.30 a.m. in the Peak Church.

Wednesday, St. Bartholomew's Day, at 7.30 a.m.

Thursday and Saturday at 7.30 a.m.

Friday, 7.45 a.m. (in Cantonese). Prayers for the sick, Thursday, 10.15 a.m.

Daily a Special Service of Prayer 12-12.12 p.m. in English. 12.12-12.24 p.m. in Chinese.

OTHER NOTICES

August 22, 8.30 p.m. Badminton, Cathedral Hall.

August 25, 10-12 p.m. Cathedral Fellowship Working Party, Cathedral Hall.

During August the Service of Holy Communion will be celebrated at 8 a.m. in the Peak Church on the 1st Sunday of the month only.

CHRIST CHURCH, KOWLOON TONG

(Waterloo Road)

CHORAL EUCHARIST: Rev. D. Rosenthal to Preach.

The following are the Services and Notices for the forthcoming week:—

August 21—10th Sunday after Trinity. 7.15 a.m. Holy Communion.

9 a.m. Choral Eucharist and Sermon.

Celebrant and Preacher: The Priest-in-Charge.

N.B. Communion at 9 p.m. has been discontinued for the time being.

Thursday, August 25—Holy Communion at 7.15 a.m.

Saturday, Aug. 27—Launch picnic leaving Police Pier, Kowloon at 3.45 p.m.

ST. TERESA'S CHURCH

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Week Days—Masses at 6.30 a.m. and at 7.15 a.m.

Sunday, August 21. Mass at 6.30 a.m. with Sermon in Chinese.

Mass at 7.30 a.m. with Sermon in English.

Followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Mass at 9.30 a.m. with Sermon in English.

ROSARY CHURCH

20, CHATHAM ROAD, KOWLOON

The following are the forthcoming Services, etc. at the Rosary Church, 20 Chatham Road—Kowloon.

Sunday, August 21—11th Sunday after Pentecost.

At 6.30 Mass with sermon in Chinese.

At 7.30 Mass with sermon in English.

At 8.30 Mass with sermon in Portuguese.

At 9.30 Mass with sermon in English.

Followed by the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

At 2 p.m. Catechetical Instruction in Chinese.

At 2.30 p.m. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

On week-days Mass at 6.30 and 7.30.

RUSSIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH

18, JORDAN ROAD, KOWLOON

The following are the services for the forthcoming week:—

Saturday, 8 p.m. Sunday, 8.30 a.m.

Monday, July 11—6 p.m.

Tuesday, July 12—8.30 a.m.

St. Peter and St. Paul.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

KOWLOON

(CHURCH OF ENGLAND)

Bishop to Preach

The following are the forthcoming services etc. at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon.

Sunday, August 21—10th Sunday after Trinity.

Holy Communion 8 a.m.

Mattins 11 a.m. Preacher: The Rev. H. D. Rosenthal.

2nd. of a course of sermons on the Holy Communion, "A Gift from God." (Service Broadcast).

Evensong 6.15 p.m. Preacher: The Bishop. 3rd sermon on Prayer. "I have prayed for thee."

Primary Sunday School 10 a.m. in the Hall.

Young People's Service in the Church 10 a.m.

Monday, August 22—Medical Relief Working Party 10 a.m.

Teachers' Preparation class 7 p.m.

St. Andrew's Club Ping Pong Evening 9 p.m.

Tuesday, August 23—Brownie Pack 3.30 p.m.

Boys' Choir Practice 8.30 p.m.

Wednesday, August 24—Medical Relief Working Party 10 a.m.

Wolf Cubs 5.30 p.m.

Rover Scouts 8.45 p.m.

Thursday, August 25—Boy Scouts 6 p.m.

Kowloon Union Church and St. Andrew's Club Musical Evening 9 p.m.

Friday, August 26—Medical Relief Working Party 10 a.m.

Full Choir Practice 8.30 p.m.

Saturday, August 27—St. Andrew's Club Launch Bathing Picnic leaves the Police Pier at 3.30 p.m. All members and friends of the Church and Club are invited to attend. Charge for non-guarantors \$1.

CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL

The following are the forthcoming services at the Catholic Cathedral, Caine Road.

August 21—11th Sunday after Pentecost.

Morning services: 1st Mass at 6 with sermon in Chinese.

2nd Mass at 8 with sermon in English.

3rd Mass at 10 with sermon in Chinese.

This service will be broadcast: Sermon on "God's moral law" by Rev. Fr. Ngai.

Evening services: At 3.30 Catechetical Instruction.

At 4 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, recitation of the Holy Rosary and Benediction.

August 24—St. Bartholomew, Apostle.

August 25—St. Louis, King of France.

On week days Mass at 6 and 7.30.

Confessions Morning and Evening.

CHRISTIAN SERVICE LESSON SERMON

SUBJECT: MIND

The subject of the Lesson Sermon in all Christian Science churches, tomorrow August 21 will be "Mind."

The Golden Text will be "Behold, God is mighty and despoth not any; he is mighty in strength and wisdom." (Job 38:5).

Among others the following citations will be read from the Bible: "The Lord reigneth, he is clothed with majesty; the Lord is clothed with strength, wherewith he hath girded himself: the world also is established that it cannot be moved. Thy throne is established of old; thou art from everlasting. The Lord on high is mightier than the noise of many waters, yea, than the mighty waves of the sea. The Lord of hosts hath sworn, saying, Surely as I have thought, so shall it come to pass; and as I have purposed, so shall it stand." (Ps. 93:1,2,4. Isa. 14:24).

The following citations will also be read from the Christian Science Textbook "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, "Mind, supreme over all its formations and governing them all, is the central sun of its own systems of ideas, the life and light of all its own vast creation; and man is tributary to divine Mind. The world would collapse without Mind, without the intelligence which holds the winds in its grasp. Neither philosophy nor skepticism can hinder the march of the Science which reveals the supremacy of Mind. The immanent sense of Mind-power enhances the glory of Mind." (Page 209).

ANNOUNCEMENTS

First Church of Christ Scientist, Hong Kong, a Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ Scientist in Boston, Mass.

MacDonnell Road close to Tram Station. Sunday Service 11.15 a.m.

Testimony Meeting, Wednesday 6 p.m. A Reading Room is located at Bank of East Asia Building, 10 Des Voeux Road Central and is open every Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m., 2 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 7 p.m. Wednesdays: 10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 to 4 p.m. Saturdays: 10.30 a.m. to 11.30 p.m. All authorized Christian Science Literature is available at the Reading Room. The public is invited to attend the services and to visit the Reading Room.

UNION CHURCH NOTICES

Morning Service 10.30 a.m. Evening Service 6 p.m.

Preacher at both services, Rev. K. Mackenzie Dow.

PRIMATE SAYS WORLD HAS LOST ITS SANITY

NOW DOMINATED BY FEAR

The Archbishop of Canterbury, Dr. Lang, spoke of the "domination of the world by evil spirits" when addressing the Canterbury Diocesan Conference recently.

"It is worth while to do anything to enable the world to gain sanity," he said. "If there be this recovery, then surely it will show itself first of all in a new effort by international agreement to suspend and reduce what our Prime Minister has more than once called 'the madness and folly of piling up our armaments on an unprecedented scale.'"

"Surely if the world becomes sane, one of the first things it will do is to secure some agreement by which the devil of this new weapon of war, bombing from the air, may be once and for all banished from the world."

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"Another means of abating the spirit of fear is to have assurance that our own defences against any possible attack are adequate; and yet another way—to refuse to indulge in thought, or talk, which would imply that war is inevitable."

Dr. Lang said it was his wish that on Sunday all should join with their Jewish brethren in prayer for those cruelly suffering.

2,000 WAR WAIFS COMING HERE

Two thousand war waifs will be sent here from Hankow to be taken care of by the War-time Child Welfare Association.

The first batch of 200 children will arrive within a few days, states Central News. They will be housed in the refugee camp at Un Long.

The Minister of Education, Mr. Chen Li-fu, addressed a group of staff workers of the Kuomintang Headquarters in Changsha recently. Later in the day, he gave a lecture in the Hunan Provincial University.

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NEWS ABOUT THE SERVICES

ROYAL NAVY

CHANGE IN COMMAND OF THE SHEFFIELD

Captain W. P. Mark-Wardlaw, D.S.O., A.D.C., relinquished on Aug. 8 the command of H.M.S. Sheffield in the 2nd Cruiser Squadron, Home Fleet, at Chatham. This will be his last command, as he is due for promotion to flag rank. During Navy Week the Sheffield has been one of the principal ships shown to the public.

Captain E. de F. Renouf, who takes up the command, has been on the staff of the R.N. War College for the past two years.

AIR ARM ALLOWANCES

Engineer officers who volunteer for technical duties in the Fleet Air Arm will receive an allowance of 5s. a day while undergoing instruction and while holding appointments for full flying duties (as distinct from aeronautical engineering duties). Officers holding Fleet Air Arm technical appointments, of the rank of lieutenant (E), lieutenant-commander (E), or commander (E) will receive an allowance of 3s. 6d. a day.

Officers of the Air branch selected for specialization in aeronautical engineering will be eligible for an allowance of 6s. a day during their course of technical instruction. After qualifying they will receive pay on the scale laid down for engineer officers, and will be eligible for an allowance of 3s. 6d. a day when holding appointments for aeronautical engineering duties while of the ranks of lieutenant (A), lieutenant-commander (A), or commander (A).

1ST ANTI-SUBMARINE FLOTILLA

H.M.S. Kingfisher was replaced on August 8 in the Fishery Protection Flotilla by H.M.S. Lilac, and Lieutenant-Commander E. P. H. Pinckney will transfer from the former ship to the Lilac in command. The Kingfisher will reduce to a special complement under the orders of the Commander-in-Chief, Plymouth, for refit, and early next month is to relieve the Wolfhound, Lieutenant-Commander A. F. Gurnell-Nugent, in the 1st Anti-Submarine Flotilla, Portland. The Wolfhound is to reduce to reserve at standard notice at Chatham.

INCREASED ALLOWANCES

Increased allowances for specialist duties are sanctioned by three new Orders in Council. Men holding

the non-substantive ratings of usual signalman, 1st class, and wireless telegraphist, 1st class are to receive 1s. 6d. a day instead of 1s.; those with the non-substantive rating of submarine detector instructor are to have 1s. 9d. a day, instead of 1s. 6d.; and those with the non-substantive rating of torpedo gunner's mate 2s. a day instead of 1s. 6d.

SENIOR OFFICERS' COURSE

A new term at the Senior Officers' Technical Course at Portsmouth began on August 8 and will last until October 7. Among those who will attend are two flag officers, Vice-Admiral Sir Wilfred French, K.C.B., C.M.G., late Admiral-Superintendent at Malta Dockyard, and Rear-Admiral R. H. O. Lane-Poole, C.B., O.B.E., who returned recently from the command of the Australian Squadron.

The following captains will also attend the course:—J. Powell, W. G. Agnew, A. G. B. Wilson, H. B. Crane, A. H. Maxwell-Hyslop, Lord Louis Mountbatten, I. A. P. MacIntyre, and F. W. H. Jeans.

LAUNCH OF THE SEAL

The submarine Seal, building at Chatham Dockyard, will be launched on Tuesday, September 27. This is the last but one of the eight submarines authorized in the naval programme of 1936; six are already afloat and the other, H.M.S. Tribune, will be launched shortly at the yard of the Scotts' Shipbuilding Company, Greenock. The Seal belongs to the Porpoise class of minelaying submarines.

CRUISE OF THE DUNDEE

The following programme has been approved for the first cruise of the Dundee, Captain C. A. Allen, on her return to the America Station after refit at Portsmouth:—St. John, New Brunswick, August 15-22; Digby, August 22-25; Halifax, N.S., August 26-September 2; Sydney, C.B., September 3-8; Picton, September 9-14; Newcastle, N.B., September 15-19; Ellis Bay, Anticosti, September 20-24; Cornerbrook, September 25; and Forteau Bay, October 2; returning to Bermuda on October 7.

TORPEDO DEPARTMENT CHANGE

Commander J. S. Cowie, who for the last three years has been head of the mining department in the Vernon, torpedo school, has been appointed to the Torpedoes and Mining Department, Admiralty, to

succeed Commander E. V. Jeffreys, and is himself succeeded in the Vernon by Commander G. B. Sayer from the command of the 1st Motor Torpedo Boat Flotilla in the Mediterranean.

NAVAL APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments are made by the Admiralty:—

Instr. Capt.—A. H. Saunders, O.B.E., to President for duty inside Admiralty (Sept. 1).

Instr. Cdr.—F. C. Sobey, to President (Aug. 22); W. G. West, to President for duty inside Admiralty (Sept. 5).

Lt.-Cdr. (E)—E. L. J. Howell, to Resolution (Sept. 6).

Lt. (E)—J. H. Gordon to Dolphin (Aug. 8), and to Malden (Aug. 18); R. L. Edmonds, R. G. Raper, P. G. Fyres-Turner, G. J. Noble, F. A. V. Jackson, L. R. E. Kennedy, J. H. H. Perling, D. T. Collumbell, to President for duty inside Admiralty (Sept. 29).

Shipt.—A. V. Watt, to St. Vincent (Aug. 25); A. J. Cole, to Queen Elizabeth (Aug. 26); H. I. W. Lush, to Dolphin (Aug. 30); C. A. Pike, to Drake for M.T.E. (Sept. 1).

Cd. Gunners (T)—W. R. Mason, appt. to Rodney cancelled; W. J. G. B. Hayter, to Illustrious (Sept. 1); S. O. Gregory, to Dido (Sept. 8).

Cd. Bosuns.—P. J. O'Brien, to Furious; J. H. Fry, to Royal Oak (Aug. 15); H. B. Lambie, to Victory (Sept. 1).

Cd. Shipts.—A. W. G. Todd, to victory for M.T.E. (Aug. 29); A. M. Watts, to President for duty with Adml. Supt., C.B.S. (Sept. 8).

Senior Master.—H. A. Fowler, to Pembroke for M.T.E. (Sept. 1).

Schoolmaster (CWO)—F. J. D. Williams, to Excellent (Aug. 22).

Bosn.—W. G. R. Easterbrook, to Tamar (Sept. 13).

ENTRIES

R. B. Whalley, A. O. Baker, J. McI. Cowling, J. M. A. Parker, as Naval Cadets, Special Entry (executive) (seny. Sept. 1), and apptd. to Erebus for training (Sept. 16).

ROYAL AIR FORCE

N.O. 6 SQUADRON COMMAND

Squadron Leader N. C. Singer, who was promoted in the June list, has been appointed to the command of No. 6 (Bomber) Squadron in the Middle East, in succession to Squadron Leader A. G. Adams. This unit is based on Ismailia, and normally operates with one detached flight at Ramleh, Palestine, but recently the full squadron has been at the latter station.

N.O. 150 SQUADRON

The formation of No. 150 (Bomber) Squadron, which was due to take place on August 8 at Usworth, Durham, has been postponed for the present.

SPORTS BOARD

The following cricket matches are announced by the R.A.F. Sports Board:—

August 19-20.—R.A.F. v. I. Zingari, at Halton; August 22-23. R.A.F. v. Royal Navy, at Lord's.

The R.A.F. swimming championships will be held at Halton from August 18 to 23, inclusive, and a swimming match between the R.A.F. and the Insurance Officers' A.S.A. at Halton on August 31.

R.A.F. APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments in the Royal Air Force are notified:—

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Squadron Leaders.—J. Warburton, to Headquarters, R.A.F., Far East, Singapore, for Air Staff duties (July 21); N. C. Singer, to No. 6 (Bomber) Squadron, Ismailia, Egypt, to command (July 6).

EARL OF BIRKENHEAD

Lord In Waiting To The King

It was officially announced recently that the King had approved that the Earl of Birkenhead should be appointed a Lord in Waiting to his Majesty in the place of the Earl of Munster.

Lord Birkenhead was appointed Parliamentary Private Secretary to Viscount Halifax, the Foreign Secretary, in May. He will occupy both positions.

Lord Birkenhead, who succeeded his father in October, 1930, when he was 22, was educated at Eton and Christ Church, Oxford.

In 1935 he married the Hon. Sheila Berry, second daughter of Lord and Lady Camrose. Lord Birkenhead is the author of two volumes on his father, the first Earl of Birkenhead, and a book on the Earl of Strafford.

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PLAN TO DIVIDE HOUSE OF LORDS

Judicial Business In Separate Room

'REFORM' PROPOSAL REJECTED

An issue bearing on the constitutional position of the House of Lords was examined in the House recently. A number of peers contributed to the discussion on Lord Newton's proposal, that judicial business should be carried out in a Committee room, so that the House could meet for legislative business at an earlier hour than was possible at present, says the Daily Telegraph.

The Lord Chancellor, Lord Maugham, rejected a suggestion that the subject should be considered by a committee.

Lord Newton pointed out that under the present system there were only eight hours a week available for effective debate between 800 peers. Small attendances, he suggested, were due to the late hour at which the House met after judicial business had been transacted.

CASE FOR INQUIRY

The Marquess of Crewe and the Earl of Onslow, Chairman of Committees, were alive to the difficulties, but agreed that there was a case for inquiry.

Lord Atkin, as a Lord of Appeal, said that were the judicial and legislative business of the House to be carried out simultaneously in different places, the House would be split in two. An Act of Parliament would be required to bring in what he thought would be a very dangerous innovation.

Lord Snell suggested that an increased opposition would provide the only remedy for the present lack of interest in debates, but Lord Harlech supported the case for inquiry with the plea that sooner or later it would be essential to define clearly the difference between the House sitting in the one and the other capacity. Viscount Mersey deprecated the suggestion that the highest tribunal in the country should at so late an hour be ejected from the spot at or near which it had sat for centuries.

The Lord Chancellor said that any or all of the peers were entitled to attend sittings of the House in its judicial capacity, though very few of them did. It would, therefore, be the more difficult to "divide the House into two."

The Government's view he added, was that there were vital and conclusive objections to the course proposed and that the time was not opportune for raising serious questions involving reform of the House, which would be needed if its judicial powers were to be ended.

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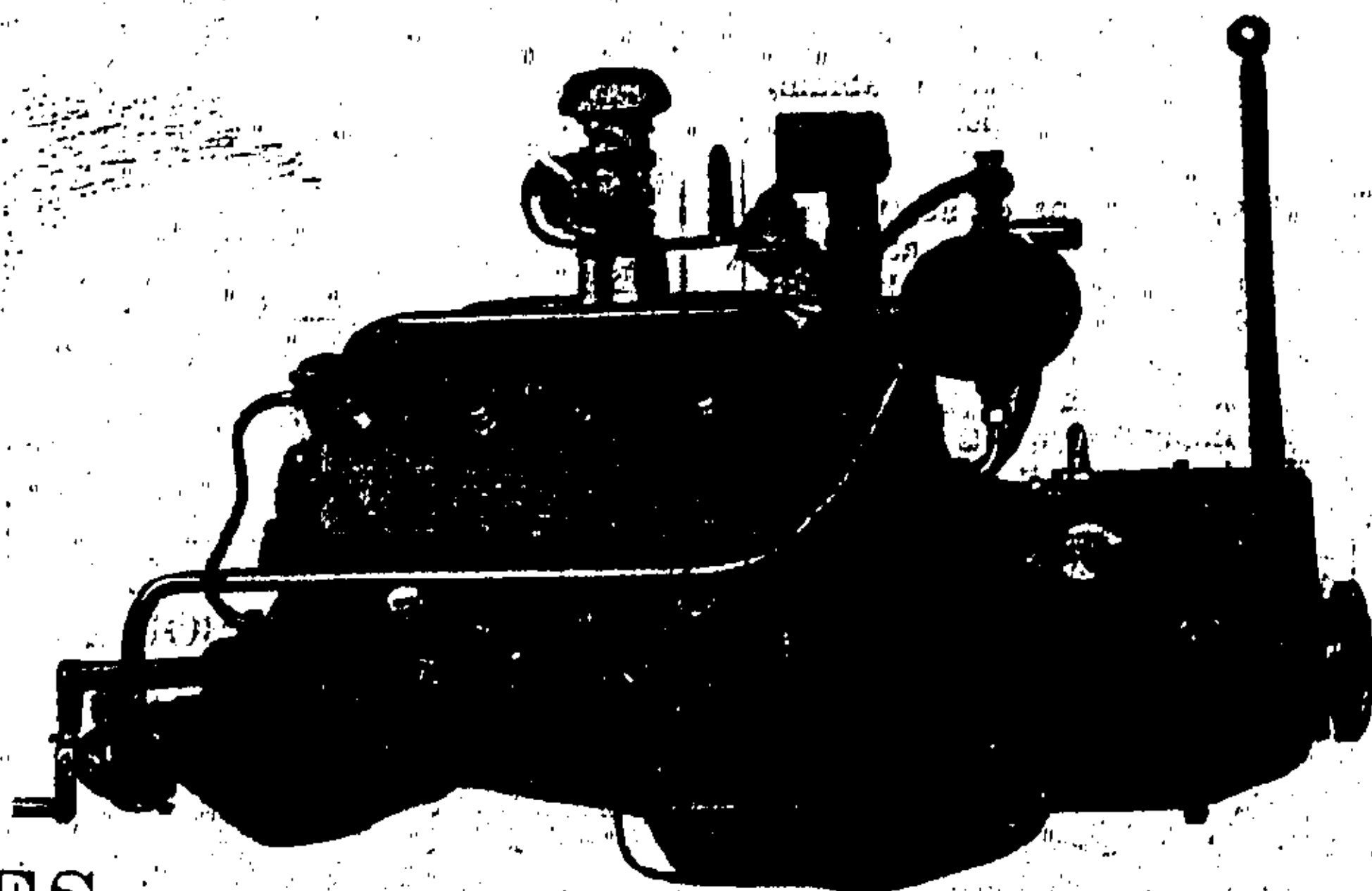
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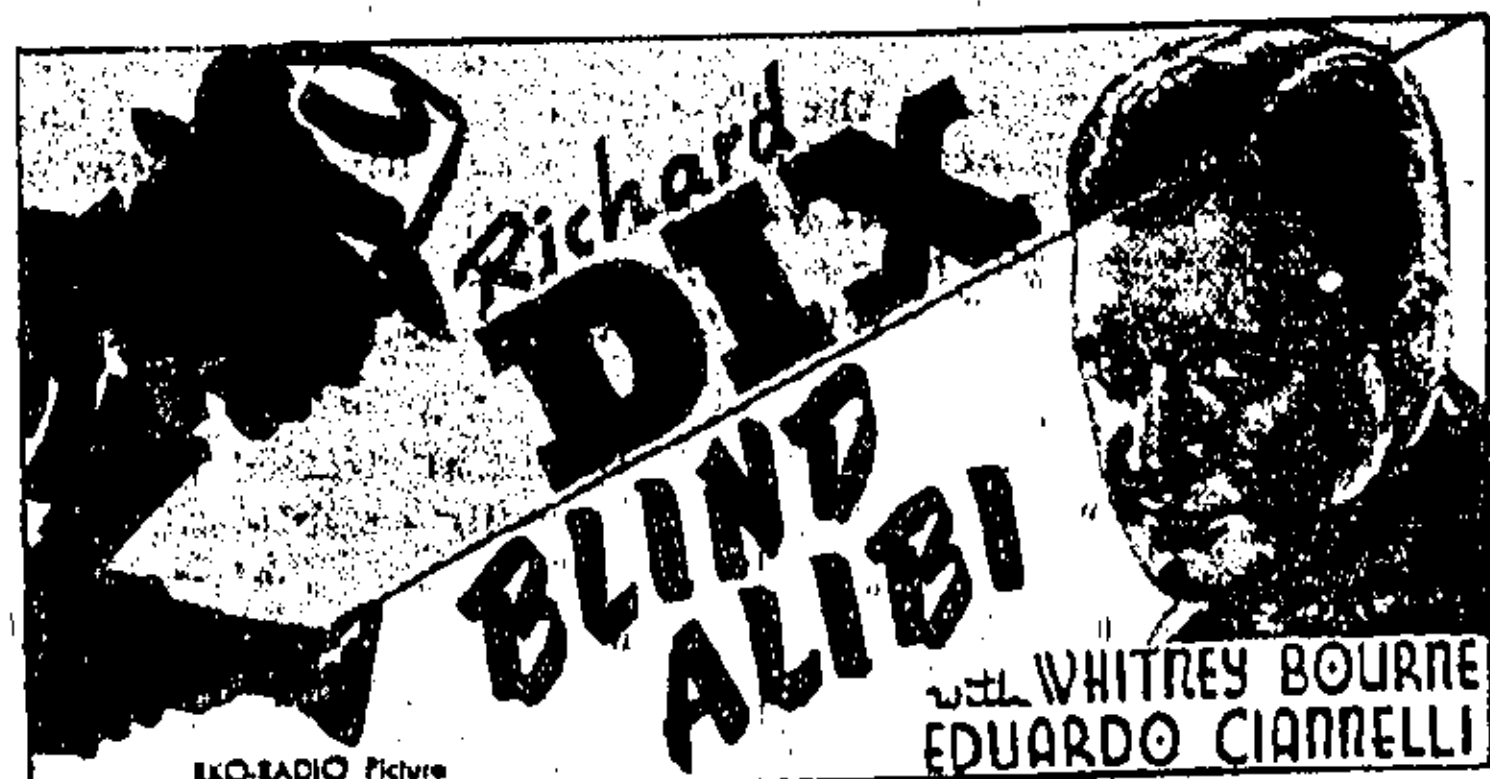
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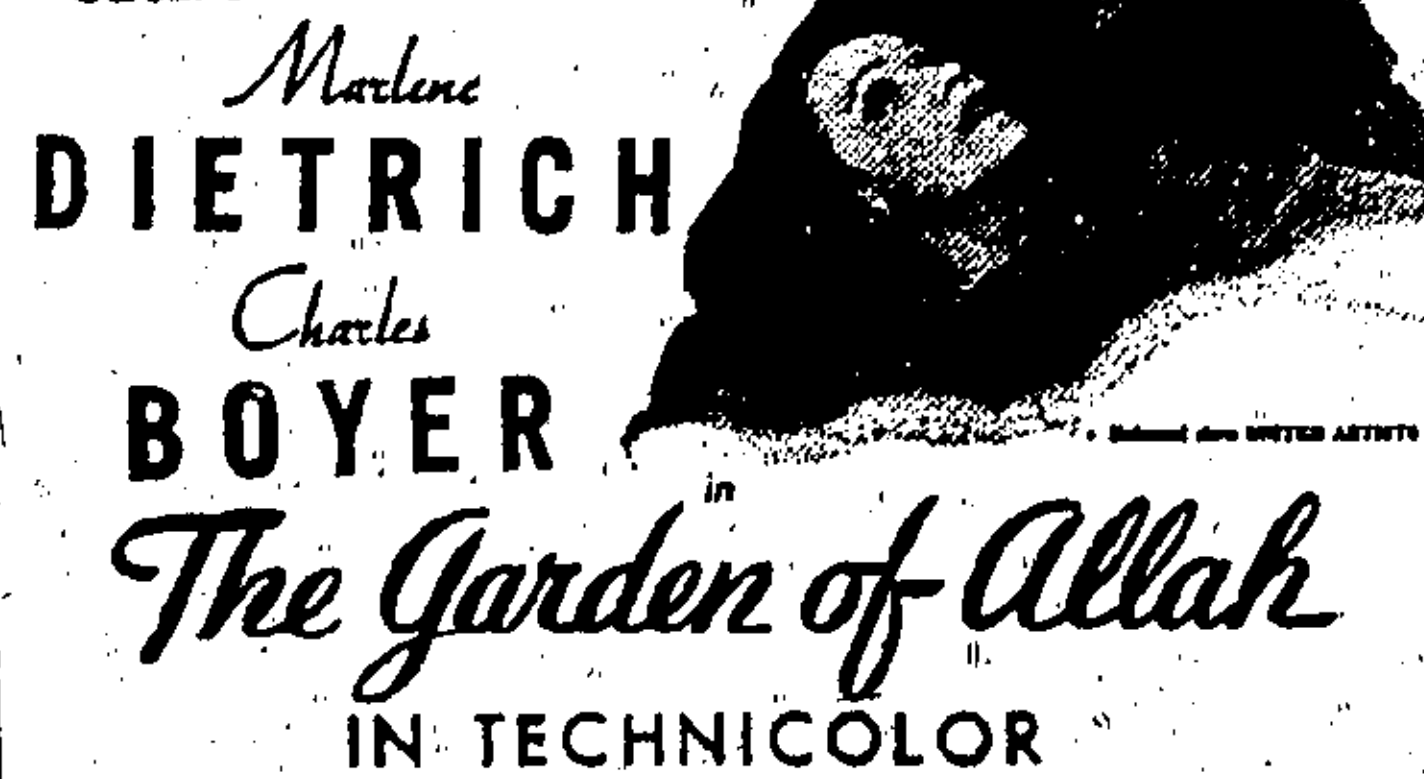
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Today's Screenings

Hong Kong

KING'S:
"Man-Proof"
QUEEN'S:
"Blind Alibi"
ORIENTAL:
"The Garden Of Allah"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:
"Ex-Lady"
STAR:
"Born To Dance"
MAJESTIC:
"The Good Earth"

Coming

KING'S:
"The Squeaker"
QUEEN'S:
"The Mystery Of The Wax Museum"

ORIENTAL:
"Hawaii Calls"
"The Kid From Spain"
ALHAMBRA:
"Oil For The Lamps of China"

STAR:
"Cafe Metropole"
"Music Is Magic"
"That I May Live"
MAJESTIC:
"Riptide"

MYRNA LOY IN "MAN-PROOF"

An ultra-modern story of a four-sided romance "Man-Proof," which opens today at the King's Theatre, has an all-star cast headed by Myrna Loy, Franchot Tone, Rosalind Russell and Walter Pidgeon.

Famous for her portrayals as the ideal American wife, Miss Loy now deviates from her usual roles to play a single woman whose man is stolen by a rival.

In lavish metropolitan settings, Miss Loy appears as a newspaper artist in love with a social climber, Walter Pidgeon who, however, weds an heiress, Franchot Tone, as a cartoonist, secretly loves Miss Loy but will not admit it to her. In the end, she finds out her foolish infatuation for the one married.

MYSTERY OF THE WAX MUSEUM

One of the strangest and most exciting thrillers, "The Mystery of the Wax Museum," opens at the Queen's Theatre tomorrow, with Lionel Atwill, Glenda Farrell, Frank McHugh and Fay Wray heading a large cast.

The story, taken from the play by Charles S. Belden, deals with a series of mysterious disappearances of both living persons and human bodies, and the appearance of a terrifying monster. The plot centres about a wax museum which has on display exceptionally life-like figures of personages of history and notorious criminals.

The picture is photographed entirely in Technicolor, with unusual lighting effects, used to heighten the fascinating mystery that dominates the production.

CHEUNG CHAU RESIDENTS GIVE CONCERT

The annual concert staged by the Cheung Chau Residents' Association on Thursday evening was well attended and was a great success from every point of view.

Among those present was Rev. E. Lindquist, president of the Association.

Contributions to the programme were given by the pipers of the Royal Scots, Mrs. G. Burnside, Mrs. Rex Ray, Mrs. I. M. Agibue, Miss June Johnson, Miss Grace Dickenson, Miss Evelyn Hansen, Mr. Sam Boyle and some of the younger residents of the Island.

A collection was made during the evening for the International Medical Relief.

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Chinese Choral Concert

OLD FOLK SONGS TO BE SUNG

The Hong Kong Chinese Choral Society, under the distinguished patronage of Bishop R. O. Hall and Prof. Hsu Ti-shan, will give a concert of Chinese music next Saturday at 9 p.m. in the Great Hall of Hong Kong University.

Mr. W. H. Wong, the conductor of the Cantonese Union Church Choir of Shanghai will direct during the evening.

Old Chinese folk songs and a number of modern compositions will be sung by the chorus, and the programme also consists of vocal and instrumental solos by Chinese artists.

Admission will be \$2, \$1 and 50 cents and booking is at the Chinese Y.M.C.A., the Y.W.C.A. and the Tsang Fook Music Company.

The proceeds of the concert will be devoted to refugee relief work.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TODAY

Anniversaries and Holidays—

Mosquito Day, 1897, St. Bernard.

Cinemas.—(See Column 3 of this Page).

Malls.—(See Page 16).

Moon.—VII Moon, 25th Day.

Social.—Craigengower Cricket Club Forthrightly Whist Drive and Tombola, 9.15 p.m.

Sports.—(See Page 10).

Sunrise.—6.02 a.m. Sunset.—6.51 p.m.

Tides.—High at 03.15 and 17.40.

Low at 11.31 and 20.34.

TOMORROW

Moon.—VII Moon, 26th Day.

Sunrise.—6.02 a.m. Sunset.—6.52 p.m.

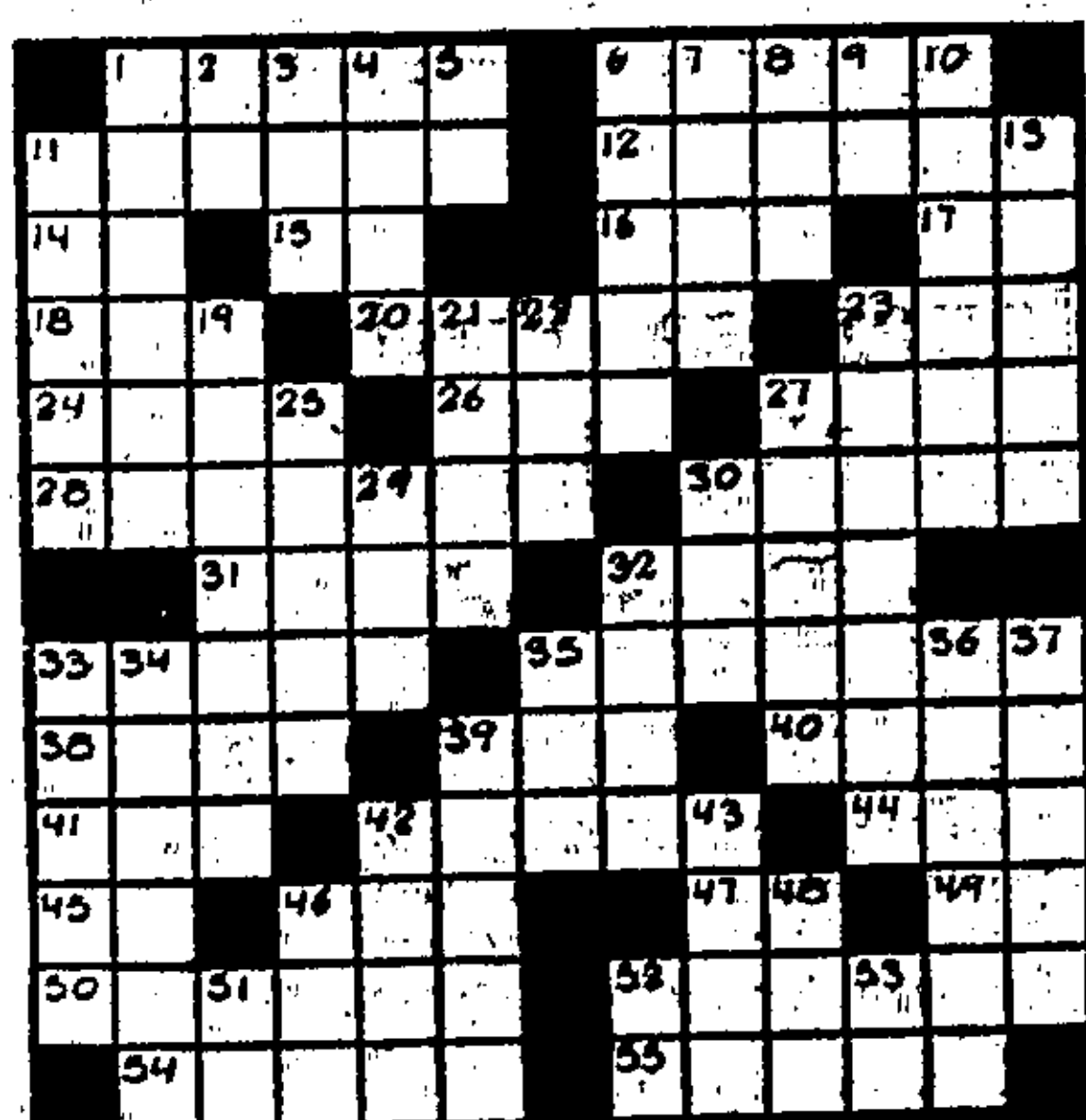
Tides.—High at 02.10 and 15.45.

Low at 09.56 and 19.43.

CROSSWORD NO. 86

ACROSS

- Quench.
- Who wrote The Count of Monte Cristo?
- Who became the Russian Communist leader after Lenin's death?
- Graft by bringing scion and stock into contact.
- Personal pronoun.
- Indefinite article.
- Islet in a river.
- Note of the scale.
- Sphere.
- Who was the hero of Appomattox?
- Lair.
- Tumult.
- South American wood sorrel.
- Wharf.
- Throw into the shade.
- Affectionate diminutive for Theodore.
- Mental image.
- Location.
- Bathes.
- Film actress who played in Romeo and Juliet.
- Toward the mouth.
- Expire.
- Walk with an easy gait.
- The legal profession.
- Small ropes.
- Metal.
- Part of "to be."
- Be affected with pain.



- Provided that.
- French definite article.
- What is the principal bridge of Venice?
- What famous English public school was attended by Byron, Palmerston and Cardinal Manning?
- Direct the course of.
- In the midst.
- DOWN
- Spatial.
- Noted the scale.
- Winged part.
- Monarch.
- Half an em.
- Italian deity of the wood.
- Grow thick together.
- Prefix.
- Pertaining to.
- A long stride.
- Coast.
- What English king was the father of Elizabeth?
- What South American liberator was successful in a Venezuelan revolt in 1813?
- Feminine name.
- Air hero.
- What noted French writer worked with Turgot and D'Alembert on the great Encyclopaedia?
- Helped along.
- One of the leaves of a corolla.
- Footlike part.
- Blind.
- Cast or throw off.
- Pertaining to a projection of rounded form.
- Speech recited after a play.
- Rejuvenate.
- Lamentation.
- Quote.
- Kingdom.
- of Asia.
- Beverage.
- Away.
- By.
- Exclamation.
- Royal Navy (abbr.).

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• SOLUTION ON MONDAY •

- Who were the Three Musketeers?
- Athos, Porthos, —?
- Title of respect.
- Speech recited after a play.
- Rejuvenate.
- Lamentation.
- Quote.
- Kingdom.
- of Asia.
- Beverage.
- Away.
- By.
- Exclamation.
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CLASH BETWEEN SUDETENS AND CZECHS REPORTED

PROCESSION ENDS IN FREE STREET FIGHT

Lord Runciman Preparing Memorandum Following Meeting With Herr Henlein

Prague, August 19.
Sudeten Germans and Czechs were involved in a disturbance in the town of Brumy yesterday, as the result of which many arrests on both sides were made by the police.
To celebrate the induction into office of the newly-elected Mayor, Dr. Alois Ott, 5,000 Sudetens marched through the streets of the town in procession.

However, when they reached the central square, where speeches were to be made, they found that a large Czech crowd had already assembled there.

A free fight ensued, during which stones and clubs were freely used. —(Transocean).

LORD RUNCIMAN MEETS HENLEIN

Prague, August 19.
Lord Runciman has returned to Prague after a long series of conversations with Herr Konrad Henlein, Sudeten German leader, at the country seat of Prince Hohenlohe.

There has also been a meeting between Lord Runciman's staff and Herr Henlein's colleagues.

No official communiqué has been issued but it is believed the contacts have been helpful.

It is suggested that a meeting may be arranged between Herr Henlein and Dr. Milan Hodza, the Czechoslovakian Prime Minister, at which an effort will be made to break new ground in the direction of compromise.

Others believe that Lord Runciman may submit compromise proposals himself, while a conference between the Great Powers is also mooted.

Although Lord Runciman will see Dr. Hodza today, it is expected some days will elapse before it is possible to diagnose the situation with any degree of certainty. —(Reuters).

MEMORANDUM BEING PREPARED

Prague, August 19.
A memorandum from Lord Runciman containing the proposals for a solution of the minorities problem is to be submitted to the Prague Government and the Sudeten German Party in the near future, it is reported here.

On the basis of his previous studies and observations in Prague, Lord Runciman is working at the present moment on the memorandum. —(Transocean).

Japanese Push On Nanchang Is Revived

Nanchang, Aug. 19.
Japanese transports are steaming from Kiukiang to Poyang Lake as an indication that the push on Nanchang has again been revived. Apart from carrying troops, the transports are laden with guns, ammunition and provisions.

The Japanese troops are attempting to make a landing on the west shore of Poyang Lake in order to cut the Kiukiang-Nanchang Railway.

General Chen Cheng, in command of troops in the Wuhan area, told correspondents in Hankow yesterday that the war is developing in favour of China in every respect.

He laughed when told of a Tokyo broadcast that he was missing, following a heavy Japanese air raid on Yanghsin, west of Juichang. —(International).

JAPAN WILL VOTE FOR WORLD COURT JUDGE

Geneva, August 19.
Japan has informed the League of Nations that she will participate in the elections for the appointment of a judge to the Permanent Court of International Justice at The Hague.

The election was made necessary by the death of Dr. Hammarstedt, the Swedish judge. —(Reuters).

BRITISH TOMMY KILLED

Jerusalem, August 19.
Another British soldier was killed and a British officer and three other ranks were slightly wounded in an engagement with a gang of bandits yesterday.

An eight-year-old Jewish boy was dangerously wounded and his brother, aged 12, was seriously hurt by a bomb explosion in Jaffa. —(Reuters).

LINDBERGH IS HONOURED GUEST AT BIG SOVIET AIR DISPLAY

Moscow, August 19.
Half a million spectators, including the British Ambassador, Lord Chilton, and Colonel and Mrs. Charles Lindbergh, attended the impressive annual Soviet air display at Tushino Airport yesterday.

Hundreds of bombers of the latest type participated in a sham battle, in which the airport was "destroyed," while hundreds of parachutes descended simultaneously "behind the enemy lines."

Col. and Mrs. Lindbergh, who were the guests of honour, occupied a special observation box with some of the most famous Soviet airmen and Stalin, Voroshilov and Molotov. —(Reuters).

DOOMED BATTALION'S COMMANDER

Hankow, August 19.
Col. Hsia Ching-yuan, commander of the "Doomed Battalion," who was removed to the headquarters of the Russian Regiment of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps following the recent flag incident, is likely to be escorted back to his units within a few days, says a Shanghai message. —(Central News).

HEAVY ATTACK ON PINGLU

Tungwan, Aug. 19.
Japanese troops, pushing down from the north, launched a heavy attack today on Pinglu, in south Shansi, on the north bank of the Yellow River. The advance was covered by intensive artillery barrage but failed to dislodge the Chinese.

The Chinese recapture of Linchin, in south Shansi, on the west bank of the Fen River, was confirmed. —(International).

Negro Tells Court Of Gang Threats In Numbers Sweepstake Racket

New York, August 19.
The dramatic story of a "death ride" and threats allegedly made by "Dutch" Schultz and his gang in their efforts to gain control of the policy betting racket—(numbers sweepstake)—was told at the resumption of the trial of James J. Hines, Tammany Hall leader, who is charged with bribery and operating lotteries and faces 27 years' imprisonment if convicted.

A giant negro from the British West Indies, Wilfred Brander, described how a carload of Schultz's henchmen cornered him and Fred McLaughlin, his partner, in a Harlem policy "bank."

According to Brander, one of the gangsters named Abe Landau, known as "Abe the Killer," said to McLaughlin: "You've got to kick in that business. You want to live, don't you?"

After at first showing defiance McLaughlin left New York to "escape the gang's vengeance," added Brander. —(Reuters).

Roosevelt Opens New Bridge Dedicated To American Friendship

Kingston, Ont., August 19.
Opening the "Bridge of the Thousand Islands" linking Canada and the United States across the St. Lawrence River, 70 miles south of Ottawa, President Roosevelt yesterday said: "This bridge stands as an open door; there will be no challenge on the border and no guard will ask for a counter-sign. Where the boundary is crossed the only word must be: 'Pass, friend!'"

The new bridge is eight and a half miles long and 230 feet high and has five distinct spans and connecting roads.

The four main towers are surmounted with electric beacons at either end to warn aviation.

The bridge cost \$800,000. —(Reuters).

REACTIONS TO SPEECH

Washington, August 19.
President Roosevelt's speech at Kingston (Ontario) in which he said that the United States would not "stand idly by if a foreign Empire attacked Canada," is given great prominence in the American press and in diplomatic circles, which feel that it will give a lead to public opinion.

The opinion is expressed that the President's address is much more restrained than his "Quarantine of Aggressors" speech in Chicago last year, and it is felt that the pledge to Canada is hardly as striking as

it seems at first glance, since it is really conditional on two highly problematical contingencies, namely, the defeat of the British or United States navies.

NAVY DEFENCE LINES

The U.S. Navy is now based in the Pacific with a defence line from Alaska to the Panama Canal, and an invader from the west could reach Canada only if this line were broken.

Similarly, an invasion from the east could only follow the defeat of the British fleet in the Atlantic. If this occurred the U.S. fleet would immediately split into two to patrol both the Atlantic and Pacific approaches to the North American continent.

The chances of any U.S. administration permitting a foreign fleet to sail up the St. Lawrence river in such a contingency is regarded here as unbelievably remote. —(Reuters).

JAPANESE AIR OFFICER IS KILLED

Canton, Aug. 19.
A Japanese naval captain, in command of an air unit, crashed to his death at Liang-chuanchen, near Chienhsan, north-west of Anking, according to a telegram received here.

The Japanese air force has been very active south of Kiukiang, and towns have been bombed and strafed by Japanese planes from dawn to dusk. The victims of the Japanese bombing and machine-gunning were mostly farmers harvesting their crops and refugees leaving the war zone, according to Chinese reports. —(International).

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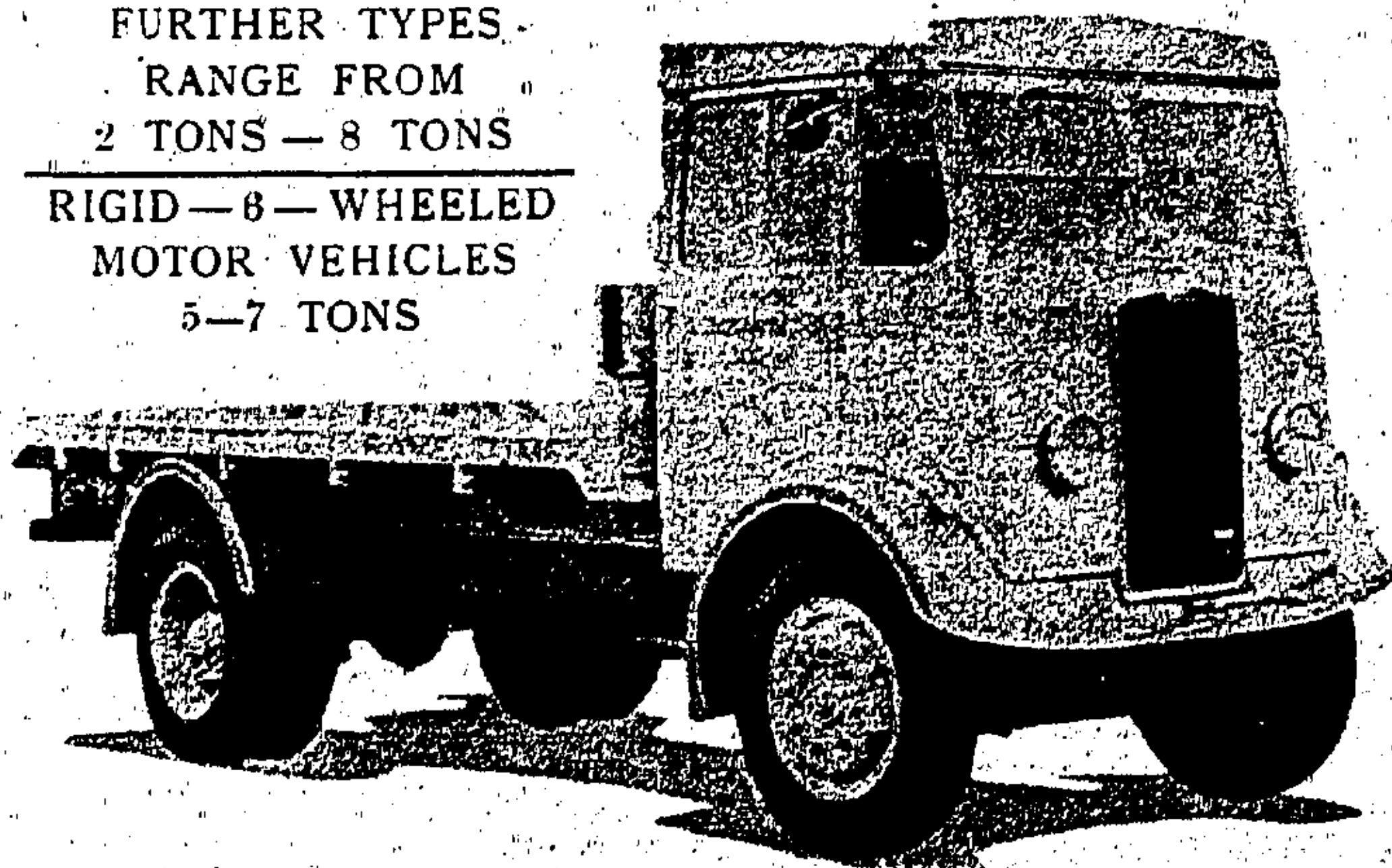
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Lord Londonderry (Chairman); Mr. W. Lindsay Everard, M.P. for Melton;
Major Alan Goodfellow, R.A.F. (Ret'd.);
Mrs. G. F. Miles, wife of the Managing Director of Phillips and Powis Aircraft Ltd.;
Mr. Robert Murray, Glasgow Corporation Transport employee;
Air Commodore J. A. Chamler (Secretary).

Mr. Everard is an honorary Air Commodore in the Auxiliary Air Force and Chairman of the Royal Aero Club and of the General Council of the Associated Light Plane Clubs. He is a private aircraft owner and possesses his own aerodrome at Ratcliffe.
Major Alan Goodfellow is a solicitor by profession. He was with the R.A.F. during the Great War and served on the Western front. He is a member of the Lancashire Aero Club and of the General Council of Associated Light Aeroplane Clubs and is both an aeroplane and glider pilot.

Mrs. Miles is well-known aviator and is a member of the Reading Flying Club. Mr. Murray is President of the Glasgow Corporation Transport Flying Club. (British Wireless).

PHILHARMONIC'S NEW PRODUCTION

"Ruddigore" Will Be Presented In December

The Hong Kong Philharmonic Society announces that the Gilbert and Sullivan opera, "Ruddigore," will be staged on December 14, 15, 16 and 17.

It is understood that the production is to be in the hands of Mr. Cyril Brown.

Rehearsals are commencing almost immediately, the first being on Thursday, September 1 at 8.45 p.m. in the China Fleet Club Theatre, and subsequently in the same theatre on Mondays at 8.30 p.m. and Thursdays at 8.45 p.m. until further notice.

This production will mark the revival of the Savoy Opera in Hong Kong after an interval of almost five years. "Ruddigore" is a tuneful and spectacular play and has enjoyed increasing popularity in England during the last few years.

FUNERAL SERVICE FOR LATE MRS. D. Y. LIN

A funeral service for the late Mrs. D. Y. Lin, noted pioneer of physical education for women in China and wife of the Director of the Kwangtung Bureau of Agriculture and Forestry, who died on Wednesday, was held at St. Paul's Church yesterday afternoon. Bishop R. O. Hall officiated, assisted by Rev. Paul S. S. Tso.

A large gathering of relatives and friends attended the service. The remains of the late Mrs. Lin were later removed to the Chinese Christian Cemetery in Sung Hing Tong, Fanling, where burial took place.

Dutch Tug Detained At Bocca Tigris

The Netherlands Harbour Works tug, Reinier, which was reported overdue on Thursday, has been detained by the Chinese authorities at Bocca Tigris. It was learned from the owners yesterday.

No explanation has been given for the detention, but all on board are reported to be safe. The owners are in communication with the Chinese authorities in Canton.

DEPARTED ON HOLIDAY

Well-known residents who left for holiday yesterday by the Empress of Canada included:

Mr. R. M. McLay, chief manager of the National City Bank. Mrs. and Miss Mignon McLay, who are bound for Yokohama;
Mrs. M. M. Morse, wife of the Chief Accountant of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, who is proceeding to England;

Rev. J. L. Wilson, Dean of St. John's Cathedral going to Yokohama;

Mr. R. Sanger, of the Standard Vacuum Oil Company, who is bound for the United States, accompanied by Mrs. Sanger and family;

Dr. P. F. S. Court, Medical Officer of the Queen Mary Hospital, and Mrs. Court, going to Kobe; and

Mr. G. M. D. D. Wolf, of the Asiatic Petroleum Company, who is going to Yokohama.

ARRIVED YESTERDAY

Mr. R. R. Roxburgh, Far Eastern representative of Messrs. Thornycroft and Company Ltd., and Mr. F. C. Millington, head of the advertising firm of Millington, Ltd., arrived from North China yesterday in the s.s. Naldora.

PASSENGERS ARRIVED

The following passengers arrived in the Colony yesterday from Japan and Shanghai by the s.s. Naldora:

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Vincent and child, Mr. L. Kodomo, Mr. C. R. Karmally, Mr. G. V. Riley, Mr. W. D. Ball, Mr. E. B. Dagla, Mr. T. Lalchand,

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Mr. J. Annot, Mr. R. Beardsworth, Mrs. J. Hoffer, Mr. G. Hwa, Mr. Huan Chang-ho, Mr. M. A. Kardish, Mrs. M. E. Paus, Mr. Teang Tak, A. B. C. Clark, Mr. I. H. Kendale.

PASSENGERS DEPARTED

The following sailed yesterday for Shanghai, Japan and Canada in the Empress of Canada:

Mr. Werner Amaze, Mr. John Nam John Anderson, Mr. John Basil Ashton, Mr. Bang How, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Bingham, Lieut. Robert Stewart Blacker, R.N.,

Mr. Wilfred Bowling, Mr. C. C. Chang, Mr. Edward Btsh, Mr. Y. S. Chen, Lt. Roger Henry Cooke, R.N., Mr. Chun Keo Jack, Mr. S. T. Cheng,

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. S. Court, Mr. John Virgil Crowe, Miss Nordine Theresa, Mr. Rabbi Jacob Eisen, Mr. Edgar Hamilton Elam, Mrs. Pearl Edna Fee,

Mr. Jose Henrique de Figueiredo, Mr. J. Friedberg, Mr. Robert Robertson Gillon, Mr. Percy S. Grant, Mr. F. W. Gray, Dr. Richard Thomas Green,

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BEACH MANNING EXERCISES

Saturday 20th August.

Corps Signals. Those detailed—

Parade at H.Q. at 9 a.m.

Corps Signals. Remainder—

Parade at H.Q. at 2 p.m.

No. 3 M.G. Company—Parade at H.Q. at 4 p.m.

Dress—S.D. cap, K.D. jacket, K.D. trousers, fighting order less box respirator.

Thursday 25th August. H.Q. 5.30 p.m. A.A. Company Officers and N.C.O.s. and umpires—conference.

Friday 26th August. H.Q. 5.30 p.m. No. 5 M.G. Company Officers and N.C.O.s. and umpires—conference.

Saturday 27th August.

A.A. Company—Parade at H.Q. at 3.30 p.m.

Corps Signals and No. 5 M.G. Company—Parade at H.Q. at 4 p.m.

Dress—As for para. (a) above.

MACHINE GUN SPECIAL CLASS

Friday 26th August. Parade at H.Q. at 9 a.m.

PARADES

Engineer Company

Monday 22nd August. H.Q. 5.45 p.m. L.L. Section. Squad drill.

Thursday 25th August. H.Q. 5.30 p.m. L.L. Section. L.L. instruction.

Corps Signals

Saturday 20th August. Beach

manning exercise. See para. 2 (a) above.

Tuesday 23rd August. H.Q. 5.15 p.m. Revolver practice at Kennedy Road Range.

Armoured Car Section

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Motor Machine Gun Platoon

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No. 1 M.G. Company

Friday 26th August—H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Arms drill and squad drill under R.S.M. Slattery.

As this is the first parade of the training year a good turn out is particularly requested.

No. 3 M.G. Company

Saturday 20th August. Beach

manning exercise. See para. 2 (a) above.

Mr. Gustave Hofschimedes, Mr. Hong Ching-wan,

Mrs. Mabel Bessie Ellen Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. Behnam

Rashid Iranee and 3 minor children, Mr. Leo Itkes, Mr. and Mrs. Ki Chun,

Mr. Chanrai Lachmandas, Mr. Lee Yu-pack, Mrs. Jean Leach,

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Montgomerie, Mr. Robert Margaret

Mignon McLay, Mr. John Milne,

Mrs. Margery May Morse, Mr. I. Newton,

Mr. Harold Sydney Peake, Mr. Frank Powell, Mr. Charles D.

Reich, Miss Barbara Rich, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sanger, Miss

Charlotte Sanger, Miss Helen Sanger, Miss Eleanor Sanger,

Mr. Arabinda Nath Sinha, Mr. C. C. Sleh, Mr. Kenneth Waldo

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Shook-chiu,

M. and Mrs. Lakshmi Narayan Sukhani, Mr. Tsang Tsung-lee,

Mr. Dayaram Wadhwanal Veswani, Mr. C. S. Tung, Mrs. P. Veswani

and minor son.

Miss Dorothy Josephine Wheeler,

Miss E. M. Whitehead, Rev. J. L. Wilson, Mr. G. M. D. D. Wolf,

Captain Yang Yin.

Monday 29th August. H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Lecture on night firing practice.

No. 4 M.G. Company

Wednesday 24th August. H.Q. 5.30 p.m. No. 15 Platoon. General

revision I.A.

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Portuguese Companies

Monday 22nd August. H.Q. 5.30 p.m. (i) No. 5 M.G. Company—

mechanism. (ii) A.A. Company—

I.A. 1st, 2nd and 3rd positions

Machine Gun Signals

Monday 22nd August. H.Q. 5.30 p.m. (i) Subsections "A" and "A"

—line testing. (ii) Subsection "D"

—miniature range.

Friday 26th August. H.Q. 5.30 p.m. for Murray Parade Ground.

Riding practice.

STRENGTH—INCREASE

Pte. R. C. Baptista, A.A. Company, 15.8.38.

Pte. W. A. Garcia, A.A. Company, 15.8.38.

Pte. E. D. Fisher, No. 3 M.G. Company, 18.8.38.

S. F. HEDGCOE,

Captain,

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AFFILIATED UNIT

Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C.

Lecture

The next lecture on Home

Nursing will be given at the P.W.D. Offices at 5.30 p.m. on Monday 22nd

August, by Miss C. R. Hammond, Q.A.I.M.N.S., Matron Military Hos-

pital.

Examination

An examination in Home Nursing will be held in the P.W.D. Offices on Monday 12th September at 5.30 p.m.

Attachment

The undermentioned were attached to Military Hospital, Hong Kong, for training during the

period 8/8/38 to 15/8/38.

Mrs. I. M. S. Braude,

Miss L. R. Sinclair,

Sgt. Mrs. E. M. BEGG,

Commandant,

Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C.

PICNIC FOR BLIND GIRLS

The Christ Church Group of the V.D.M.A. acknowledges with grateful thanks the following donations and offers of loan of cars towards the 12th annual picnic for Blind Girls, which will take place on October 1:—

Mr. G. S. Archbutt, \$25.

Col. H. B. L. Dowbiggin, O.B.E.

\$5.

Mr. J. Key, \$5.

Mr. G. B. Labrum, \$5.

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Mr. F. H. Tyson.

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Further donations and offers will gladly be received by the Hon. Group Secretary, Mrs. Gertrude

Goddard, care of Messrs. L. Randon and Company, Ltd., Marina House.

News Briefs

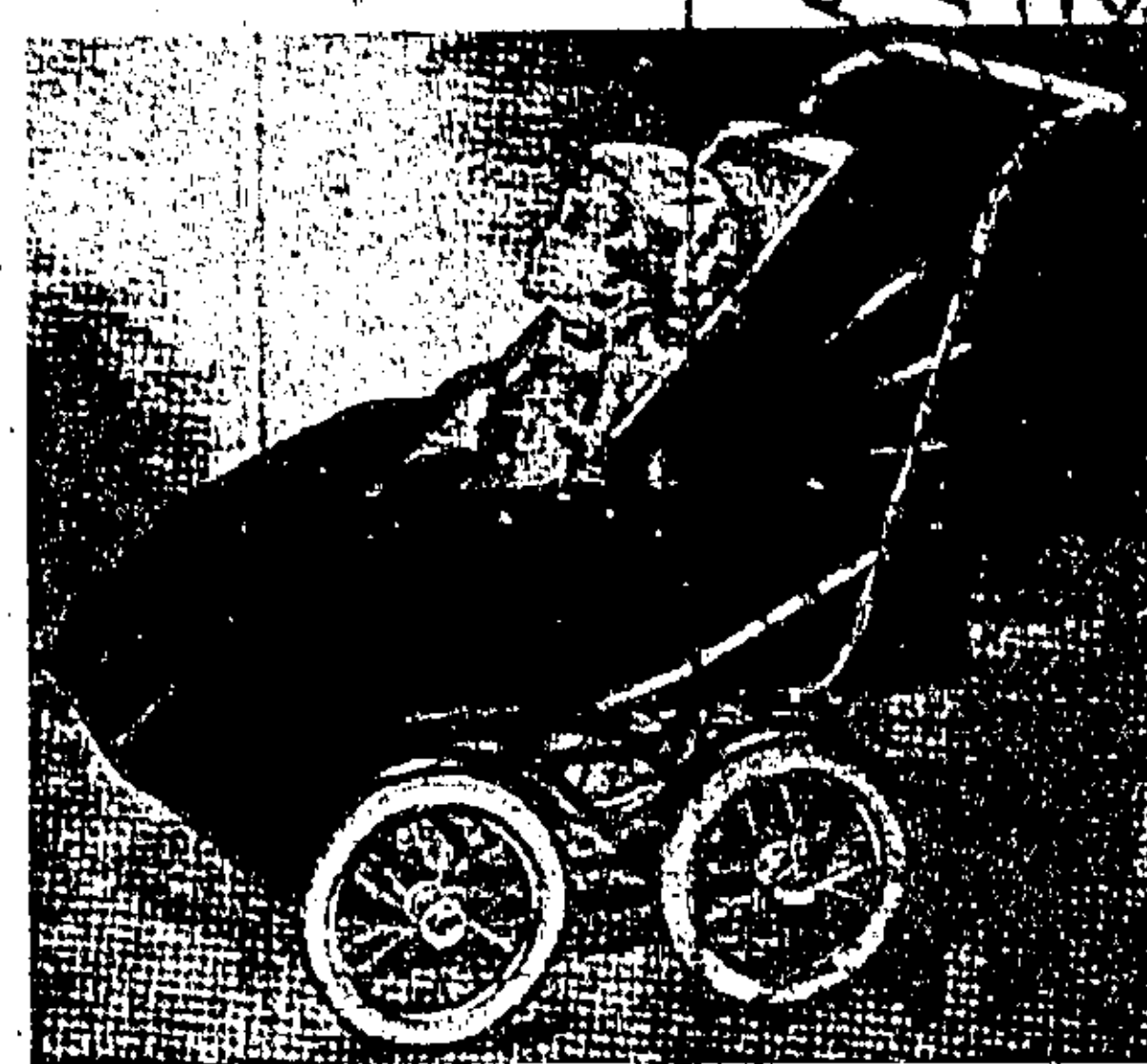
His Excellency the Governor and Lady Northcote will attend Divine Service at St. John's Cathedral tomorrow at 11 a.m. His Excellency will read the Lesson.

The local branch of the Chinese National Women's Relief Association will hold its first annual meeting on Friday at Euston, the residence of Mrs. Eu Tong-sen, at Repulse Bay. Mrs. T. V. Soong will welcome the guests.

Lady Northcote will be present at the A.R.P. lecture at the Peak Club on Monday at 10 a.m.

The health returns for Thursday show seven cases of cholera, four cases of dysentery, two cases of cerebro-spinal meningitis and one case each of diphtheria and enteric fever. The total of cholera cases notified this year is 345.

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Bed length 34" width 15", giving maximum sleeping comfort, fitted with adjustable drop-end, chromium handle with white rubber grip. Jointless sponge rubber wheels with brake, well sprung and upholstered in navy blue leather cloth.

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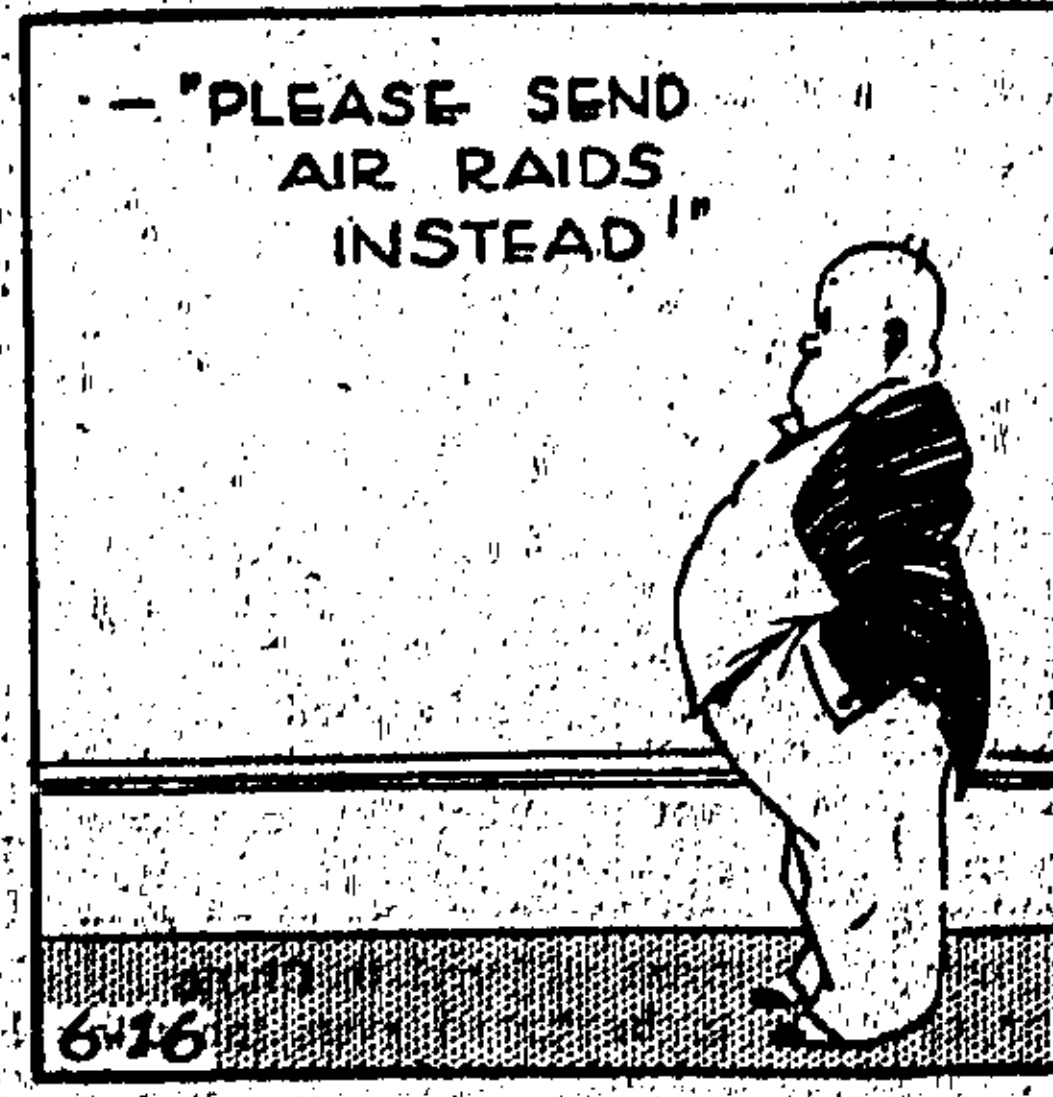
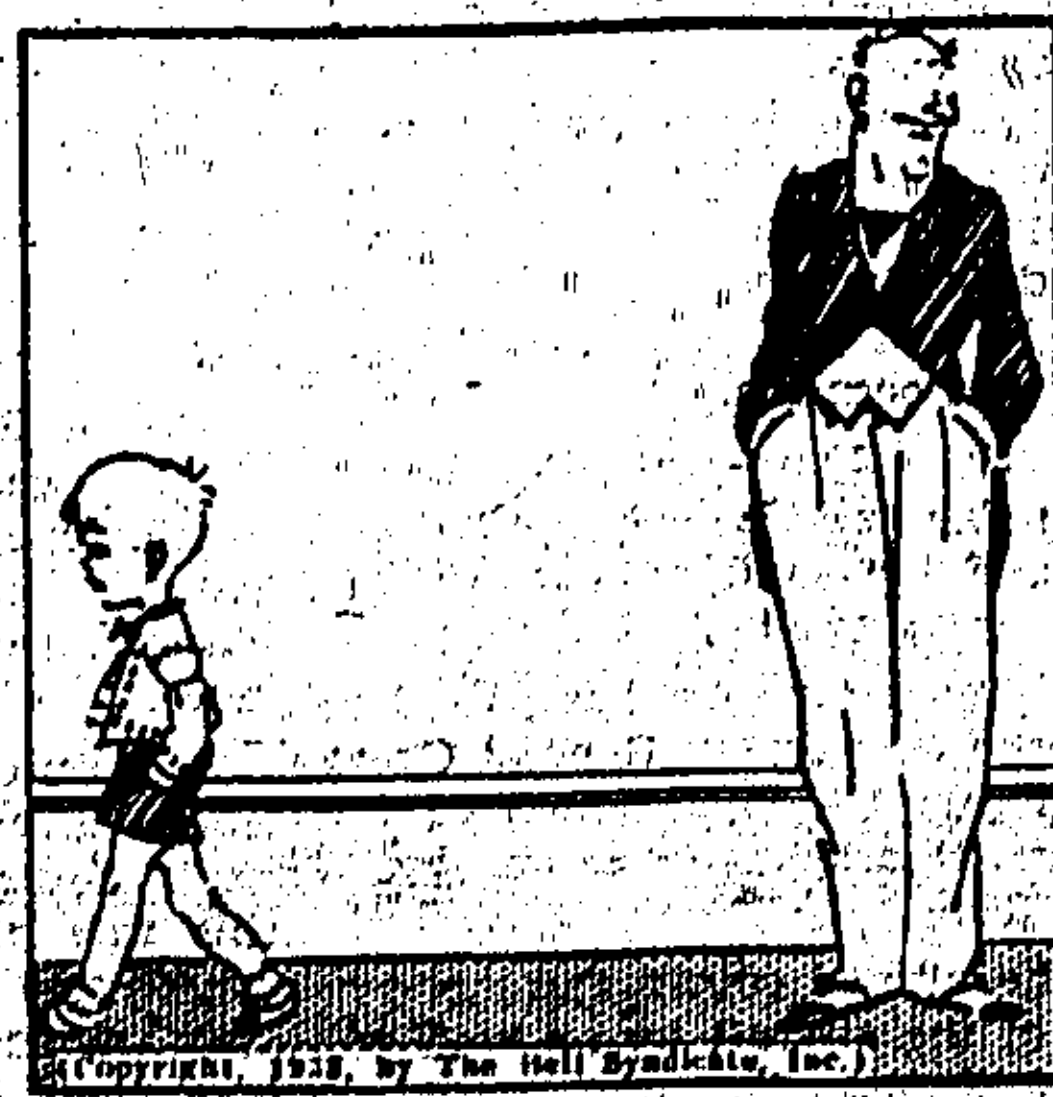
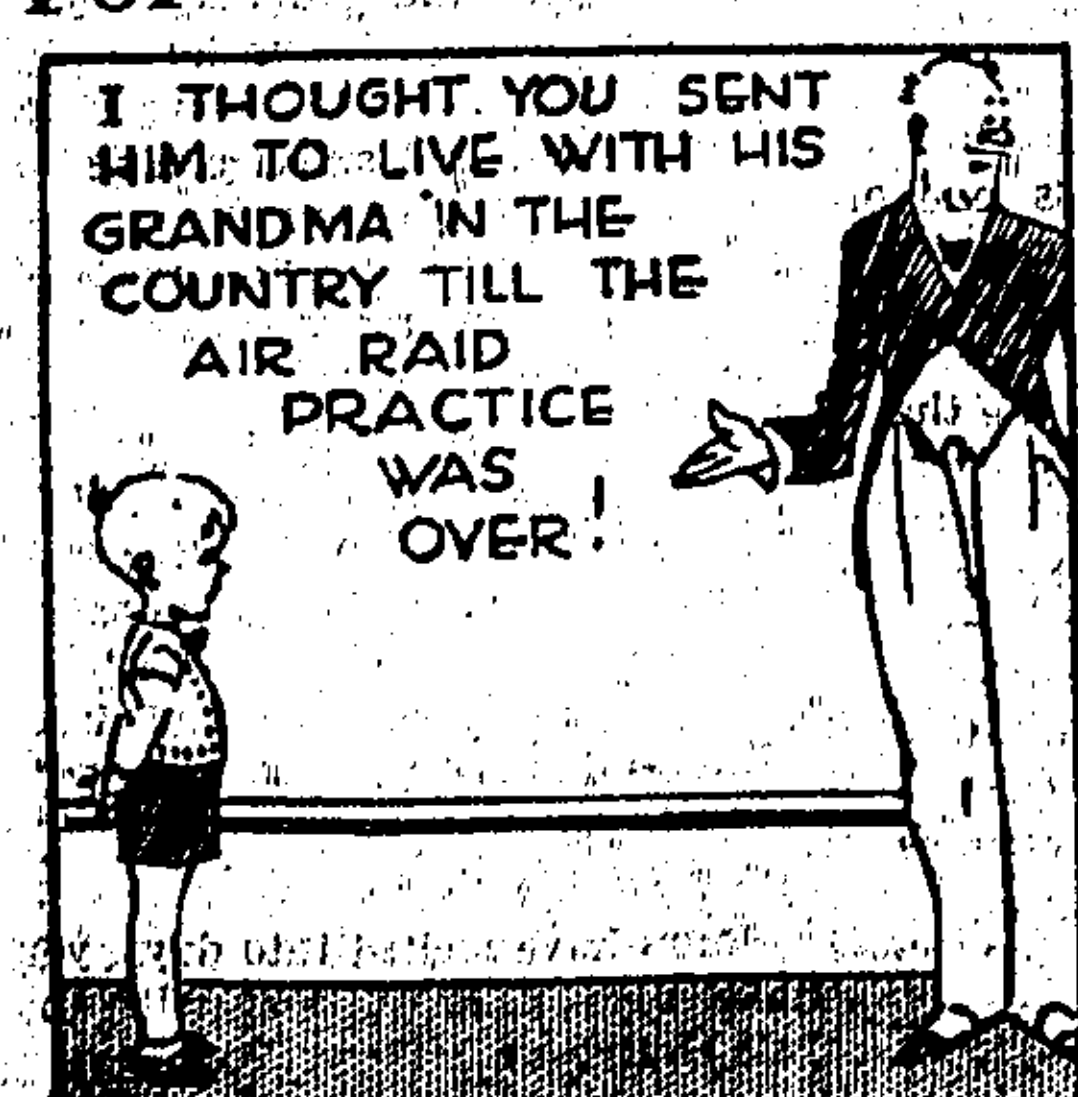
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POP—OR ELSE A RIOT SQUAD



By J. MILLAR WATT

JAPANESE SHIP CONCENTRATIONS IN KWANGTUNG WATERS

Canton, Aug. 19.
There is a total of 26 Japanese warships in the Kwangtung waters, concentrating at the mouth of the Pearl River and the Swatow area.

The Japanese seaplane carrier, Akagi, sailed from Kwangtung on August 15 and was yesterday reported to be seen opposite Foochow.

The Japanese aircraft carrier, Kamoi, is still anchored opposite Tongkwan.

There is only one Japanese seaplane carrier in Kwangtung and that the planes, which of late raided the two railways, had come from her with the exception of those from the bases in Sancho and Hopao Islands. (International).



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ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE HONG KONG ELECTRIC CO. LIMITED.

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that an Interim Dividend of ONE DOLLAR per Share has been declared for the year 1938, and will be payable on and after Thursday, 8th September, 1938. Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Company's Registered Office, P. & O. Building.

THE REGISTER OF SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, 29TH AUGUST, to WEDNESDAY, 7TH SEPTEMBER (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO., LTD., Agents.

Hong Kong, 28th July, 1938.

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THE RAUB AUSTRALIAN GOLD MINING CO., LIMITED.

(Incorporated in Queensland).

Notice of Declaration of Second Interim Dividend.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Second Interim Dividend of four pence per share for the financial year ending 31st March, 1939, has been declared by the Directors of the Company in Brisbane, payable on 15th September, 1938 to Shareholders on the Registers at Brisbane and Singapore on 14th September, 1938.

NOTICE is also hereby given that the Singapore Transfer Registers will be closed from Thursday, 8th September, to Wednesday, 14th September, 1938, both days inclusive, for the preparation of Dividend Warrants.

By Order of the Board, DERRICK & CO., Chartered Accountants, Local Secretaries, Hong Kong Bank Chambers, SINGAPORE, 11th Aug., 1938.

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What do you want?

If there is anything you want to buy, or sell, try a small Classified advertisement.

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BIRTH
MURRAY—On August 7, 1938, at Bedford, to Agnes Ella (nee Nicolle), wife of Burnett Murray—a son.

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FEELING THE PINCH

JAPAN is suffering from an acute attack of "waritis," for in addition to being extremely short of money and war materials, that country is also handicapped by the lack of important natural resources and by economic dependence on foreign countries.

The last two may easily prove fatal to her, if she is forced to carry on the war against China for another year or longer.

In the year immediately before the outbreak of hostilities, Japan was able to obtain a satisfactory amount of raw materials for war purposes but since then the position has changed vastly.

Japan's difficulties are accentuated by the fact that she produces no rubber, only a negligible quantity of antimony and magnesium and an amount of manganese, molybdenum and chromium equal to less than half of what is required in time of peace.

IN ASSESSING Japan's power, to maintain a long-term war, one must bear in mind the fact that she had laid up a stock of materials long before the present hostilities started but she never thought for a moment, that she would be forced to such a long drawn out struggle by the Chinese, whom the invaders were confident they could crush in a matter of weeks.

With all these preparations, Japan felt well-prepared for herself—that she was prepared for all eventualities.

JAPAN HAS MISCALCULATED. But as things have turned out, it will be seen that she has miscalculated. The end of the conflict is by no means in sight but Japan has for some time felt the pinch caused by shortage of materials.

To begin with, there is a dearth of oil. To keep her naval and air forces active, as well as to run the many mechanised units requires a good deal of oil. That was the reason why, when the war was but two months old, Japan had to buy 25 million gallons of petrol for her war planes as well as 105 million gallons of crude oil.

Since then she has had to purchase more fuel oil and indications are that she will have to keep on buying—unless, of course, the oil producing countries should decide not to sell to her on the grounds that the oil is used for filling the tanks of the planes that engage in bombing open cities and towns.

BUT SHORTAGE of oil is not Japan's only problem. There is also not enough iron to meet the demands of the munitions industries. At first Japan tried to overcome this difficulty by importing scrap iron from Australia but the Australian dock hands refused to handle the cargo and Japan had to turn elsewhere for supplies.

Examination of the situation will show that Japan is faced with grave difficulties but in the mind of Japanese imperialism there is a way out of the raw material

shortage problem. This is the seizure of rich resources in the occupied areas in North China.

If she should succeed in this it might indeed help to delay her "pinnacle economic collapse," but here it will be well for Japan to be warned not to count her chickens before they are hatched.

The Chinese are going about their war of resistance so successfully that very soon the Japanese will probably find the same occupied areas restored to China. It is to be hoped even including Manchukuo.

LAMP TRADE MARK CASE DISMISSED

The summons against Kong Kam, of No. 33, Gilman Street, for possession, for the purpose of trade, of electric lamp bulbs to which a false trade description was applied, was dismissed by Mr. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday at the conclusion of the third hearing.

The China United Lamp Company, represented by Mr. W. Latrille, manager, were the complainants. Mr. O. E. C. Marton appeared on their behalf, and Mr. Hin-shing Lo was for the defence. The prosecution alleged that the Chinese characters on the bulbs, "Tak Shung" meant "German Merchant" and the characters on the labels "Tak Shung Yeung Hong" would mean "German Merchant Firm."

Mr. Lo called an expert witness who stated that the characters "Tak Shung" represented the name of a firm and not what was interpreted by the prosecution.

THE FAR EAST

(To The Editor Of The Times)
Sir,—In your excellent summings-up of the British position in the Far East, there is one very material factor to which you do not allude.

The Japanese military authorities in Shanghai have refused to allow the Whanpu Conservancy Board to continue the necessary work of dredging the river between Woosung and Shanghai, and deep draught vessels, mostly British and American, will soon be unable to reach the port. C.P.R. and President liners have already, I understand, intimated their intention to omit their calls.

No reason is advanced by the Japanese for their action, and with the fighting area far removed now from Shanghai, it cannot be justified.

TWO REASONS

If one may be allowed to question the genuineness of Japanese assertions, there are two substantial reasons for their action or inaction. They may have in view the development of Woosung as a port to cater for the valuable export and import trade of the Yangtze ports, of the Northern ports (Tientsin, Chefoo, Dally, &c.) and of the Southern ports, leaving Shanghai high and dry.

Or they wish to carry out their post war dream of developing Tsingtao as such a port, which is near enough to capture the Yangtze and Northern ports trans-shipment trades, and has a rail connection tapping the hinterland of Shantung and beyond.

ISOLATE SHANGHAI

In either case, if they can successfully render the Whanpu un-navigable to deep draught vessels, they will isolate Shanghai, and millions of British capital will be lost, and if land and house property values are taken into account, tens of millions of British and other capital.

When the British Ambassador has his discussion with the Japanese Foreign Minister in Tokyo, he should be invited to put the question fairly and squarely, "What is the objection to the Whanpu Conservancy Board carrying on the vital work of dredging the Whanpu?" and he should accept no reply which savours of prevarication.

I am, yours, &c.

EDWARD F. MACKAY
(Ex-Chairman, Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce).
Avalon, Kingswood Warren, Tadworth, Surrey.

FRENCH SHIP THAT HELPED R.A.F. MEN

Air Council's Award

The Air Council has awarded a piece of plate to Francois Mendez, master of the French Government General Greys, 4,565 tons, in recognition of the help given to the crew of the R.A.F. flying-boat Scapa K. 7304, which made a forced landing in the Gulf of Lyons on Nov. 3, and of his seamanship on that occasion.

The flying-boat developed engine trouble in bad weather conditions and came down in a heavy swell.

A signal for help was picked up by the Gouverneur General Greys, owned by the Compagnie Generale Transatlantique, which was bound for Tunis.

She altered course and stood to lee of the aircraft for an hour until a French destroyer arrived.

By Clipper Ship To Manila—City Of Contrasts And Colour

Sight-Seeing, Sport And Club Life Make An Ideal Holiday In Philippines

YOU ARE TIRED of it all, business strain, too much social life or something gets you down now and then. Hong Kong and its goings-on irk you, and what you need at this point is a complete change for a few days.

The north and Shanghai might do it for you, but that allows you such a short stay and a terrific amount of energy expended.

A quick, comfortable trip, a city of contrasts, and days of relaxation in a vivid and cool land, all spell Manila.

GRAB ONE WEEK of the year for yourself. Buy a long green ticket, round trip, from the Pan-American Airways' office with the destination reading, Manila, P.I. And don't forget your passport, they won't let you in down there without it.

Now you are fixed for a thrilling and leisurely Clipper trip of about five hours which transports you to entirely new and different surroundings.

Watch your amount of luggage 44 lbs. is the free weight allowance.

Clothes for a week's stay in the south should be an easy problem. Three to four light-weight wash dresses or suits. Several pairs of shoes, swimming suit, two informal dinner dresses of light material, for the ladies.

The men in Manila are not prone to dinner clothes, so they would not be absolutely necessary. One useful lounging sport costume, shorts or slacks ensemble preferably, and the usual tooth brush and what's it, will take care of you. And you men leave the brief case at home, it is vacationing.

EARLY START

ALL SET! The Clipper is leaving in the early morning from Kai Tak! Breakfast is over, and the short Pan-American bus trip from the Peninsula Hotel to the airport, the goodbye to friends on the jetty. You are comfortably ensconced in an upholstered arm chair in the cabin of the Clipper boat.

Immediately, a capable steward relieves you of hat or coat—and all of a sudden the ship commences to race down the bay for a take-off. Your sensation is that of a very fast speed boat ride, but in less than three minutes this

changes as the ship climbs into the air. Your ascent is very gradual, you hardly realize your height until you look out of the cabin window and see what you thought was a large piece of Hong Kong territory now is a miniature map with small dots.

You unhitch the safety belt from your waist and relax in friendly conversation with other passengers, magazine reading, bridge, knitting or what have you. Of course, if it was a late hour the night before to bed and asleep you may go. A berth in absolute privacy is made up for passengers' convenience.

UPS AND DOWNS
AN HOUR or so goes quickly by, then, may be due to foul weather, you will have a couple of ups and downs or bumps of the ship. In that case you are warned by the officer in the control cabin above you, to fasten the safety belt which is attached to your chair.

The first bump you do not like, but if there are any more after that they will remind you of your "roller coaster" days, and some fun. Quickly you can fly out of bad weather and into clear weather way up above the cotton clouds or below them over bluish green water.

The steward within two or three hours after departure will remind you that hunger should be satisfied, the hours have been too busy to make you aware of luncheon.

Each passenger receives appetizing box lunches of various foods. Chicken, eggs, salad, sandwiches, olives, cake, fruit, ice cream, with tomato juice, pineapple juice, coffee or tea to quench the thirst. It all tastes very good and calls for a short snooze, curled up in your big chair.

A dance orchestra, with rhythm entertains you each evening from 9 p.m. until 2 a.m. in the supper room, where the food and service is excellent.

Bars, beauty shops, gift, tobacco and ready-to-wear shops are incorporated in the first floor lobby of this modern hotel.

COOL EVENINGS
MANILA is always warm, but the cool breezes fan and cool the evenings, and after a comfortable night of rest, you are refreshed to go and see what makes the town go round and the people so smiling and happy.

Your first call will probably be the "Walled City": it is one of the most interesting sections of the city, and here are your contrasts.

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Beautiful View From Air

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Shortly thereafter, the northern territory of Luzon is sighted and you fly down the coast to Manila Bay and Cavite, your landing port.

THE DESCENT from way up there in the ether commences, approximately a half hour before arrival, consequently, you have no dropping sensations. The surprising air view of Manila holds you spell bound. Magnificent green palm trees, small white shacks, red tile roofs, dead white buildings with a splashy sunset reflecting on this flamboyant scene which should not be combined in such colours, but blend perfectly.

Your natural reaction and feeling is hurry, you want to walk and be surrounded in all this beauty.

You are again wearing your safety belt as the ship touches, the water and speeds along for a few minutes coming to a complete stop several feet from the landing float. The ground crew, through means of ropes, pull and tie the Clipper boat to the float.

With utmost ease and excitement, yet a little sad that your perfect Clipper trip is over, you disembark at the model Pan-American Airways' Cavite airport. Officials of the company greet you with a warm welcome, baggage is inspected and courteous immigration officers examine your passport.

NATIVE LIFE
PAN-AMERICAN Airways' motor cars wait to drive you into Manila, one hour and a half away. There is much native life and many farms to see along this drive.

Reservations at the Manila Hotel have been made for your stay. You drive into the court of this well planned hotel which is constructed in the shape of an H and are besieged with service de

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SEPTUAGENARIAN GUERILLA LEADER'S INSPIRING SPIRIT CONFIDENT INVADERS WILL BE DRIVEN OUT

Hankow, August 19.

"DID YOU EVER SEE A RAT SWALLOW A BUFFALO?" With a humorous smile, 72-year-old white-haired, silver-bearded and moon-faced Fang Chao-chow, leader of Chinese guerilla bands in Fengyang and Tingyuan in north Anhwei, put this question to a newspaper correspondent who interviewed him yesterday on the current Sino-Japanese hostilities.

Fang recently arrived in Hankow to report to the Central authorities on guerilla activities in his district and to ask for replenishment of arms and ammunition.

Fang expressed confidence that China would ultimately defeat the Japanese invaders and drive them out from Chinese territory.

He said that through her spies and other agents Japan had thoroughly studied China's military, financial and economic conditions, but she had underestimated the enormous Chinese manpower and the grim determination and undaunted spirit of the Chinese people.

Asked for his opinion regarding the defence of the Wuhan area, the guerilla leader replied: "We must not defend Wuhan by fighting around that area only. We must throw in large guerilla bands to counter-attack the enemy at Peiping, Tientsin, Nanking, Shanghai, Shansi, Shantung, and even the North-eastern provinces."

CUT SNAKE IN PIECES

Drawing another interesting analogy he stated: "The snake's head may be very poisonous, but if its body is cut into pieces it won't be able to do much."

Recounting Chinese guerilla activities in north Anhwei, he said that the mobile bands were organized immediately after the fall of Nanking in December, when it was realised that the Japanese would soon extend their operations into Anhwei either by way of the Yangtse River or the Tientsin-Pukow Railway.

FINE RESPONSE

Response to the call to colours was enthusiastic. Farmers, workers, tradesmen, students and others took up their farming implements, old rifles, spears, swords and even cudgels and rallied to the cause. They inflicted heavy losses on the Japanese by night raids and surprise attacks, and by disrupting communication lines.

"They even employ tricks to trap the Japanese," said Fang. "Young fighters, disguised as girls, often lure small bands of Japanese soldiers to places where other guerillas are hiding and then attack them." (Central News).

LINE MENACED

Tientsin, August 19. In view of the increasing menace of Chinese guerillas the Japanese have sent additional troops to various stations along the Nanking-Shanghai Railway. In some stations dugouts have been built as a precaution against Chinese air raids.

It is learned that on August 15 Chinese guerillas launched a sudden attack on Kuyung, 22 miles southeast of Nanking. (Central News).

DUTCH ROYAL COUPLE WILL VISIT ENGLAND

London, August 19. Princess Juliana and Prince Bernhard of the Netherlands will visit England in the first week of October.

They will stay a week in Scotland and spend several days at the Balmoral Castle, the summer residence of the King and Queen. Other Royal visitors expected in England later in the year are King Boris of Bulgaria, King Carol of Rumania and King Farouk of Egypt. (Transocean).

OLYMPIC GAMES ORGANISING COMMITTEE

Helsinki, Aug. 19. The Organising Committee for the 1940 Olympic Games at Helsinki was appointed at a meeting of all Finnish sports organizations yesterday.

The Finnish Government will be represented in the Committee by the Commander-in-Chief of the Army, General Ostermann and General Pekala, the city of Helsinki by Mayor von Frencckell and Chief Alderman Heio. Other members of the Committee will be Minister Kekkonen, Bank President Rangell, and Consul Krogius. The Finnish Winter Sports Association has asked the Committee to take measures so that Finland will be charged also with the arrangement of the winter Olympics. (Transocean).

ITALIAN AID FOR FRANCO

London, Aug. 19. The British Charge d'Affaires in Rome, Sir Noel Charles, called on Count Ciano, Foreign Minister, and drew his attention to a recent report that General Franco received fresh help in the way of war materials and men from Italy. The Charge d'Affaires asked Count Ciano whether he was now in a position to make observations on the report and stated that the British Government was awaiting his reply. (Reuter Bulletin).

London Dissatisfied At Franco's Reply

London, August 19.

It is declared that the Franco Note, the full text of which it is asserted is already in the Foreign Office, has caused dissatisfaction in London, and that the British Government, after an examination of the reply, which it is further asserted was made on Tuesday evening, decided to suggest to General Franco that he should modify some of the clauses.

Well-informed circles consider that the British Government will inform the public as to the contents of the reply only when they are absolutely sure that General Franco is willing to modify the Note. (Transocean).

Runciman's Problems In Czechoslovakia

Prague, August 19.

The scope of Lord Runciman's cares, ranging from local incidents to international policy, is proved by the problems with which he is dealing today.

The Sudeten leader, Herr Henlein is reported to have raised the question of Czechoslovakia's foreign relations which seems to be coming more and more into the foreground of the negotiations.

Well-informed observers consider it a most difficult question as the Czechs are not prepared to accept dictation in the matter of their foreign relations. (Reuter).

CZECH CONCESSIONS

Prague, August 19.

The concessions which the Czech Government is prepared to grant to Sudeten Germans is understood to include the appointment in the near future of officials of German nationality in districts where the majority of the population are Sudeten Germans. Two posts as District Governors will be allotted to Germans at an early date, while six vice-Postmasterships will be appointed in towns in Sudeten territory. (Reuter Bulletin).

BRITISH PASSPORT OFFICER HELD

Berlin, August 19.

Nazi police have arrested Captain Kendrick, British Passport Control Officer in Vienna for the past seven years. Captain Kendrick was en route to England from Vienna when, shortly after crossing the Austrian border, German police arrested him and took him back to the Austrian capital, where he is being kept in custody.

On receiving information of the arrest, the British Ambassador in Berlin, immediately made representations to the German Minister for Foreign Affairs and requested an explanation. (British Wireless).

BRITISH PROTEST

London, August 19.

The British Government has instructed the Ambassador in Berlin, Sir Neville Henderson, to inform the German Foreign Minister, Baron von Ribbentrop, that it takes a serious view of the arrest of Captain Kendrick and request a full and speedy explanation. The Ambassador at yesterday's interview received the assurance that a full inquiry would be made, and it is expected in London that the latest representations will lead to Captain Kendrick's release. (Reuter).

Story Of How Fishing Junk Turned Tables On Japanese Launch

Canton, August 19.

How a Chinese fishing junk turned the tables and destroyed a Japanese launch off Tolsan, near the west Kwangtung coast, was revealed by military quarters here today. The fishing junk, owned by Pang Kwok-man, a patriotic fisherman, was plying off the coast several days ago when it encountered a steam launch with several Japanese bluejackets aboard. The Japanese vessel was on the point of stopping and "pirating" Pang's junk, when Pang, determined not to be covered into submission, fired several shots from the native crude gun which formed the only armament of his ship.

AIR CRASH AT VARESE

Rome, Aug. 19.

All thirteen occupants of an Italian seaplane belonging to the Macchi Aeronautical Factory at Varese were killed when the machine crashed and caught fire as it was taking off on an experimental flight last night.

The cause of the tragedy has not yet been ascertained. The Prefect of Varese, Signor Chiesa, and his family were among the victims. (Reuter).

Although official Nationalist quarters are still silent about the contents of the Note communicated to the British Agent, Sir Robert Hodgson, on Tuesday, it is learned from well-informed circles that the reply to the proposal of withdrawal of the foreign volunteers is inspired by the spirit of goodwill.

The Franco Government is said to have submitted positive proposals, important not only for the present state of war, but also after the restoration of peace. The Note contains concrete proposals for an improvement of the condition of the civilian population and for protection of the international trade, within limits necessary for prevention of arms smuggling.

Well-informed circles declare that the reply of General Franco goes beyond the scope of purely Spanish problems and is of fundamental importance for the safety of civilisation of the occidental world.

France's Note is said to emphasise the principle of Spanish independence, according to which, Spain will never tolerate international agreements interfering with the sovereign rights of Spain. (Transocean).

DR. SUN FO IN COLONY

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Dr. Sun granted an exclusive interview to a representative of the Central News, in which he expressed optimism regarding the outlook of the war against Japanese aggression.

He believed that final victory will not be far away if the entire people of the nation rally under a single banner and if close co-operation is maintained with the peace-loving nations of the world.

Relating his experience gained during his recent European tour, Dr. Sun declared that countries of the world are China's friends except Japan. He said there is not a single people in the world who are not sympathetic towards China's aspirations for racial existence and her holy war for international peace and justice.

Referring to international affairs, Dr. Sun said more active support from Soviet Russia for China will be forthcoming. Moscow, he said, is daily getting itself ready in preparation against Japanese aggression and will not stand by to see China fight alone.

With repeated provocation from Tokyo, war between the U.S.S.R. and Japan, in Dr. Sun's opinion, will be inevitable. He believed that the prompt settlement of the recent Changkung affair should not reflect in any way on the attitude of Moscow. (Central News).

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REVALUATION OF GOLD STOCKS?

Paris, August 19.

Financiers are on tiptoe in anticipation of the Premier, M. Daladier's new programme for defence and currency.

The idea is gaining ground that the Anglo-American Trade Treaty will contain a clause fixing the dollar and sterling parity. As the franc is definitely pegged to sterling, such a clause would automatically ensure that the franc does not fall below M. Daladier's rock-bottom rate of 175 francs to the pound.

It is believed that the probability of such a clause enabled M. Daladier yesterday to repeat unequivocally that there would be no exchange control or further devaluation.

The possibility of revaluation of the Bank of France's gold stocks is widely canvassed. This would enrich the country by about 20,000,000,000, besides the profits accruing from writing up unknown amounts in the Equalisation and Rentes Protection Funds. These sums would show a handsome surplus over provisional advances by the Bank of France to the State which amount would roughly be 30,000,000,000.

It is considered probable that the main portion of surplus derived from revaluation would be devoted to national defence. It should be noted, however, that there is no official basis for assuming that such revaluation is intended. (Reuter).

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Japan Determined Not To Abandon China Campaign

Berlin, August 19.

"Japan is determined not to abandon her campaign in China after subduing Hankow, but it will certainly continue fighting until Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek and the Kuomintang Government are crushed," declared the Japanese War Minister, General Itagaki, to the Tokyo representative of the National Socialist Organ, the Volkischer Beobachter, yesterday.

"The advance on Hankow is proceeding surely and steadily, and it should not be long before this city capitulates," continued the General, "we shall not terminate our military activity until the Chiang Kai-shek Government, is overthrown. If Chiang Kai-shek decides to continue the struggle after the fall of Hankow, we shall also fight on until we have completely smashed the Chinese resistance."

"With the position as it is today, I am convinced that it would serve no purpose at all to conduct negotiations with the Chinese Generalissimo," he added.

When asked about the attitude of the Japanese people to the Sino-Japanese conflict, General Itagaki declared that the increased burden imposed by the protracted war was being borne with a wonderful equanimity. "Our people have made sacrifices without complaining, and are proud to help the fatherland. It is a well established fact that the strength of our people grows in proportion as the difficulties increase. Therefore we are certain that in this case our power to overcome the present strain will prove the equal to task," he said. (Transocean).

COMMERCIAL AIR TRANSPORTATION

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MAIL FIGURES

To date no definite plans have been announced regarding outgoing mail, via Air France, incoming mail for the Colony arrives each Wednesday via this line.

Total first class inward and outward mail from January 1, 1938, to August 1, 1938 was as follows:—

Imperial Airways:—In, 12516.870 kilos; Out, 9409523 kilos.
Eurasia Aviation Corporation:—In, 18743.265 kilos; Out, 56968.743 kilos.

China National Aviation Corporation:—In, 3678.124 kilos; Out, 11219.514 kilos.
Pan American Airways:—In, 2474.076 kilos; Out, 1184.375 kilos.

The air freight and express figures for the month of July, 1938, follow:

Imperial Airways:—In, 125.980 kilos; Out, 162.720 kilos.
C.N.A.C.:—In, 188,900 kilos; Out, 4119.000 kilos.

Pan American Airways:—In, 180,000 kilos; Out, 98.182 kilos.
Eurasia Aviation Corp.:—In, 1198.930 kilos; Out, 8006.036 kilos.

In the year to come, officials expect these figures will double due to the "All Up Mail" scheme, the Boeing, 72-ton Clipper ships from the United States, and more frequent service on the local airlines.

COMPTON IN FORM

London, August 19.

In the County cricket championship Middlesex defeated Essex by ten wickets.
Essex scored 108 (R.W.V. Robins 4 for 22) and 308 (O'Connor 122, Smith 4 for 73), while Middlesex totalled 392 (Dennis Compton 180 not out) and 28 for no wickets. (International).

Hainan Island Again Threatened

Hollow, August 19.

Hainan Island has again been threatened by a number of Japanese warships during the past few days.

On August 13, three Japanese warships hurried over twenty shells on the shore batteries near here. All the shells fell wide of the mark. The warships then sailed away.

On the following morning, six Japanese destroyers, together with several torpedo boats, reappeared opposite Hainan harbour. However, no move has been attempted up to the present.

Some five or six Japanese warships have also been sighted opposite Yulin harbour, in the south, and Hsinyang harbour, in the north-west. They came from the direction of the Paracel Islands. (International).

BRITISH SHIP IS AGAIN BOMBED

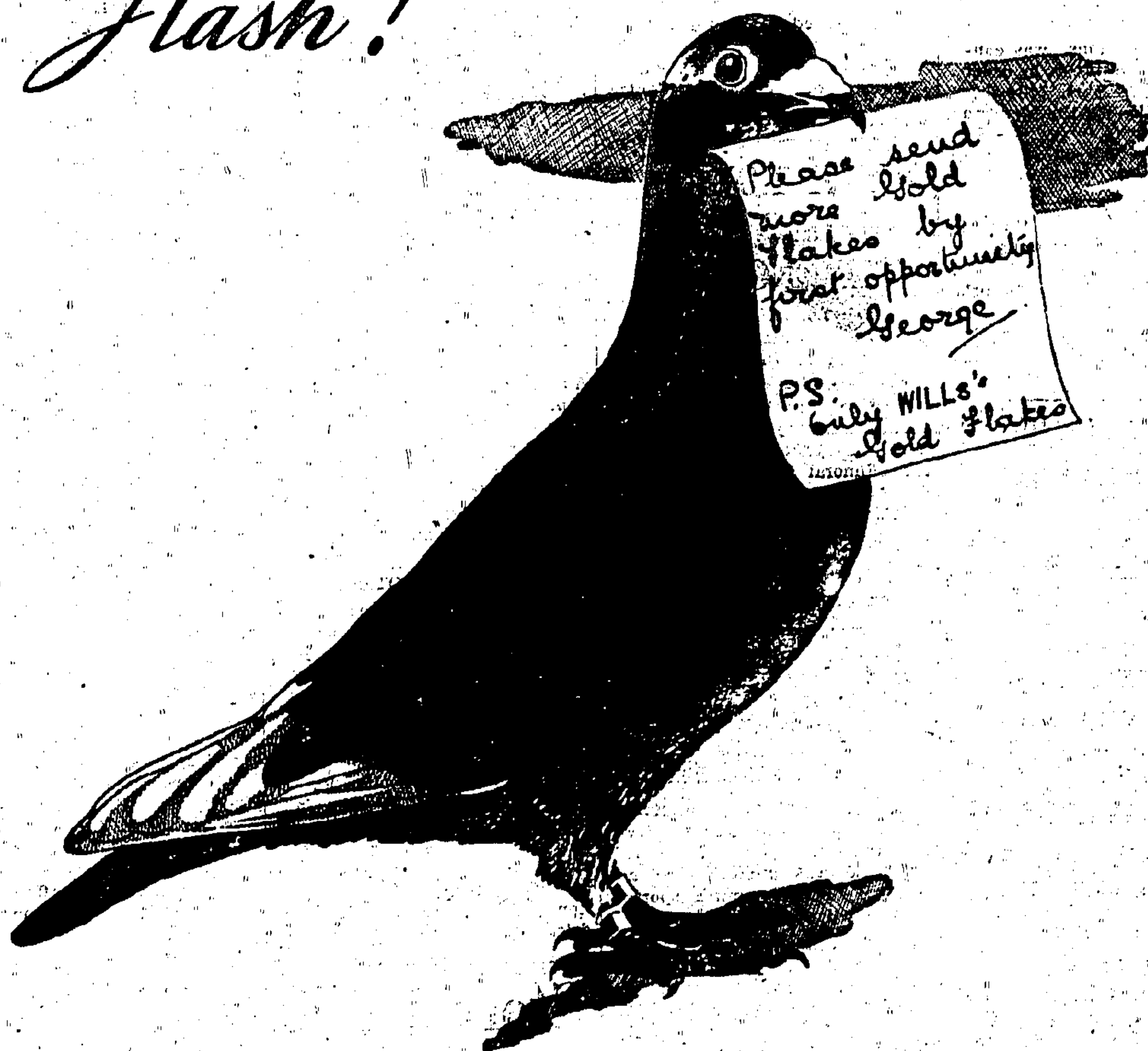
London, August 19.

Another bombing of a British ship in Spanish waters occurred this morning. She is the steamer Stanhope which had been bombed previously.

The captain reported that this morning's raid was deliberate, but fortunately the bombs missed the vessel which was undamaged. (Reuter Bulletin).

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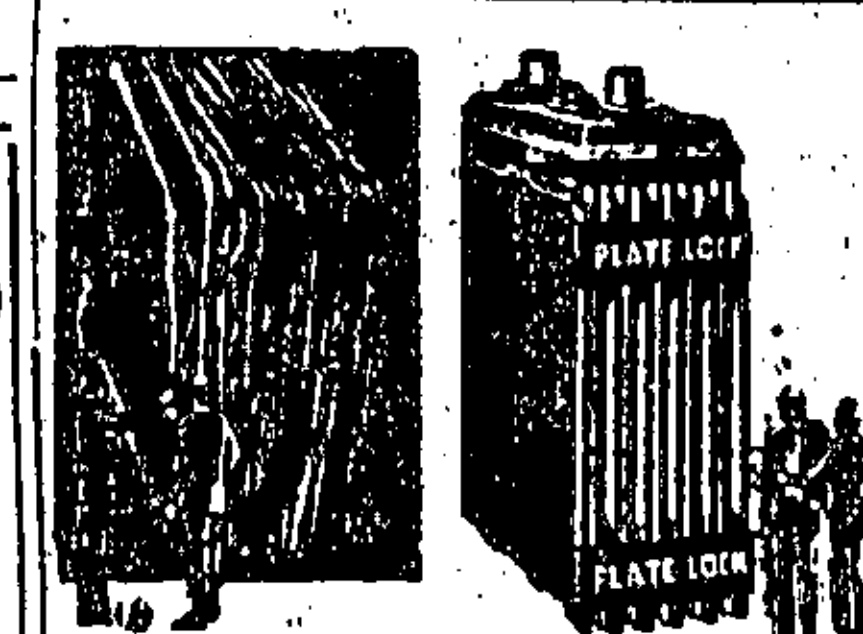


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	\$100			Chinese Estates			\$100
Cotton Mills							
	\$20			Ewes (S)			\$20
	\$89			S'hai Cottons (S)			\$89
	\$24			Zong Sing (S)			\$24
	\$42			Wing On Textiles (S)			\$42
				Public Utilities			
	\$17.30			Tramways			\$17.30
	\$2			Peak Trans (old)			\$2
	\$3			Peak Trans (new)			\$3
	\$78			Star Ferries			\$78
	\$24			Y'mai Ferries C.R.			\$24
	\$11.30			Do. (new)			\$11.30
\$11	\$11			China Lights (old)			\$11
\$3	\$61			China Lights (new)			\$3
	\$18			H.K. Electric			\$18
	\$94			Macao Electric			\$94
\$26.80	\$26/3			Sandakan Lights			\$26.80
	\$26/3			Telephones (old)			\$26/3
	\$26/3			Telephones (new)			\$26/3
	\$26/3			Tramways (old)			\$26/3
	\$26/3			Tramways (new)			\$26/3
	\$26/3			Tramways (pref.)			\$26/3
Industrials							
	\$14			Cold. Macg (Ord) S.			\$14
	\$18			Cold. Macg (Pref) S.			\$18
	\$17.30			Canton Ice			\$17.30
	\$4.50			Cement			\$4.50
\$7.25	\$7.40			Consolidated			\$7.25
\$7.05	\$7.30			China Prov. (old)			\$7.05
	\$7.10			China Prov. (new)			\$7.10
Miscellaneous							
\$30	\$30			Dairy Farms			\$30
\$1.90	\$1.90			Ch. B. Finance			\$1.90
	\$8.70			Constructions (old)			\$8.70
	\$2.30			Constructions (new)			\$2.30
	\$2.30			Lane Crawford			\$2.30
	\$8			Nagang Tobacco			\$8
	\$8			Sincere			\$8
	\$8			Watsons			\$8
	\$8			Ch. G. 5% 1928 G. Bds.			\$8
	\$8			H.K. Govt. 4% Loans			\$8
	\$8			H.K. Govt. 3 1/2% Loans			\$8
	\$8			Star Wing On			\$8
	\$8			Vibro Piling Co.			\$8
	\$8			Marsman Inv. (Lon.)			\$8
	\$8			Marsman Inv. (H.K.)			\$8
	\$8			Wg. Powell			\$8

Sales to Shanghai

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(British Wireless Service)

	August 13	August 18
Paris	178-57/84	178-55/84
Geneva	21.28	21.28
Berlin	12.15	12.15
Athens		92 1/2
Milan	92-9/16	92 1/2
Copenhagen		18.73
Stockholm	8 1/2	8 1/2
Shanghai	4.87 1/2	4.87 1/2
New York	8.93 1/2	8.93 1/2
Amsterdam		4.87 1/2
Vienna		8.93 1/2
Prague	14 1/2	14 1/2
Helsinki	22 1/2	22 1/2
Bucharest	670	670
Hong Kong	1/2 31/32	1/2 31/32
Bombay	1/5 29/32	1/5 29/32
Montreal	4.89 1/2	4.89 1/2
Brussels	28.96	28.96
Yokohama		28.96
Sellers		
Buenos Aires	18.87 1/2	18.87 1/2
Monte Video	20	20
Rio	2-27/32	2-27/32
Silver (Forward)	19-7/16	19 1/2
Silver (Spot)	19-9/16	19 1/2
War Loan	3 1/2 102 1/2	3 1/2 102 1/2

Closing Quotations

August 19, 1938.

On New York:	
Bank Bills, on demand	30 1/2
Credit, 90 days sight	30 1/2
On London:	
Telegraphic Transfer, 1/2	1/2
Bank Bills, on demand	1/2
Credit, 4 months sight	1/2
On Shanghai:	
On demand	470 non.
On Singapore:	
On demand	53 1/2
On Japan:	
On demand	106 1/2
On India:	
Telegraphic Transfer, 1/2	1/2
Bank Bills, on demand	1/2

THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. ROZA BROS.

The price for Ready Silver dropped 1/16 to 19 3/8 but the Forward rate was unchanged at 19 1/4. Silver advances reported Speculators as having sold India bought. The market was quiet. Later speculators bought at the rate. American Silver was quoted at 42 3/4 for Spot.

The London-New York cross-rate was quoted at 487.87. New York-London was quoted at 488.

MARKET

Quiet.

STERLING

There were sellers at 1/3 August-November, possibly December and 1/2 31/32 January-February, buyers at 1/3 1/32 Cash November and 1/2 January-February.

U.S. DOLLARS

Sellers at 30 1/2 August-October and 30 7/16 November-December, buyers at 30 9/16 Cash-October and 30 1/2 November-December.

SHANGHAI DOLLARS

Nominal.

SHANGHAI MARKET

Opened with sellers at 8 7/32 and closed with sellers at 8 3/8. U.S. the market opened with sellers at 18 23/32 and closed with sellers at 17 1/16.

IN THE AFTERNOON

The market was quiet in the afternoon.

STERLING

The market closed with sellers at 1/3 August-November, possibly December and 1/2 31/32 January-February, buyers at 1/3 1/32 Cash-November and 1/3 January-February.

U.S. DOLLARS

Sellers at 30 1/2 August-October and 30 7/16 November-December, buyers at 30 9/16 Cash-October and 30 1/2 November-December.

SHANGHAI DOLLARS

The market closed with sellers at 17 1/2.

SHANGHAI MARKET

The market closed with sellers at 8 1/2. U.S. closed with sellers at 17 9/32.

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

Prices have advanced during the week, and the market closes with an unsatisfied demand.

BUSINESS DONE DURING THE WEEK

H.K. Bank, \$1445, \$1440.
Canton Insurance, \$230.
H.K. Fire, \$207.
Wharves, \$128.
Docks (New), \$194, \$193.50, \$193.
Prov. (Old), \$3.60, \$3.65.
Prov. (New), \$3.45, \$3.50, \$3.52 1/2.

Prov. Consol. (Old), \$7.20, \$7.30.
Prov. Consol. (New), \$6.90, \$7.
\$7.05, \$7.10.
Hotels, \$6.80, \$6.85.
Lands, \$38 1/2, \$38 1/2.
Tramways ex. div., \$17.05, \$17.10.
\$17.15, \$17.20.
Star Ferries, \$78.
Electric, \$61, \$61 1/2.
Telephones (Old), \$26.80.
Cements, \$17, \$17.20.
Ropes, \$5.
Dairy Farms, \$25 1/2, \$25.30.
Watsons, \$7.50, \$7.60, \$7.65, \$7.80.
\$7.90, \$8, \$8.05.
Raubs, \$9.70, \$10, \$10.10.
CHANGES 3 1/2 p.m. (CLOSING)

QUOTATIONS

Unions, \$505.
Cements, \$17.30.

SALES

Provs. (Old), \$3.65.
Hotels, \$6.85.
Watsons, \$8.05.

H.K. SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

BUYERS

Providents (Old), \$3.62 1/2.
Hotels, \$6.80.
Lands C.D., \$38 1/2.
Realities, \$54.
China Lights (Old), \$11 1/2.
China Lights (New), \$8.10.
Ropes, \$4.85.
Entertainments, \$6.55.
Providents (Consol.) (Old), \$7 1/2.
Providents (Consol.) (New), \$7.
Watsons, \$8.

SALES

Providents (Old), \$3.65.
Hotels, \$6.85.
Trams, \$17.10.
Providents (Consol.) (Old), \$7.30.
Prov. (Consol.) (New), \$7.10.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

(Through Reuters Service)

QUOTATIONS

1938	High	Low	Dow Jones Average	Aug. 17	High	Low	Close	Change
145.87	98.95	30	Industrials	139.03	139.78	138.38	139.33	30 up
32.77	19.00	30	Rails	27.94	27.80	27.58	27.70	34 off
32.00	15.14	30	Utilities	19.77	19.79	19.53	19.84	17 off
92.70	83.39	40	Bonds	89.05	89.05	88.95	89.05	10 off
53.00	45.03	11	Commodity Index	47.10	47.10	47.28	47.35	13 up

Business Done:—450,000 shares.

STOCKS	Last Sale	Aug. 17	18	STOCKS	Last Sale	Aug. 17	18
Adams Express	111	111		Great Western Sugar	26 1/2	26 1/2	
Alleghany Steel Co.	17 1/2	18		Grayhound Corp'n.	16 1/2	16 1/2	
Allis Chalmers	49 1/2	48 1/2		Hecker Products	7 1/2	7 1/2	
Amer. Can.	98	98 1/2		Int. Nickel	48 1/2	48 1/2	
Amer. & For. Power	3 1/2	3 1/2		Int. Tel. & Tel.	8 1/2	8 1/2	
Amer. & For. 47 pf.	18 1/2	18 1/2		Jennecott Copper	39 1/2	39 1/2	
Amer. Locomotive ..	20	20		Libbey-Owens-Ford			
Amer. Metals	34	33 1/2		Glass	47 1/2	48 1/2	
Amer. Radiator	14 1/2	14 1/2		Lockheed Aircraft	14 1/2	14 1/2	
Amer. Rolling Mill ..	18 1/2	18 1/2		Loew's Inc.	47	47 1/2	
Amer. Smelting	46 1/2	45		Martin, Glen L.	23	22	
Amer. Sugar Ring	24 1/2	24		McKesson & Rob-			
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	141	140 1/2		bins, \$3 pf.	34 1/2	34 1/2	
Amer. Tobacco "B"	87 1/2	87		Monsanto Chemical	92 1/2	92 1/2	
Amer. Waterworks ..	101	94		Montgomery Ward ..	45 1/2	45	
Anaconda Copper	33 1/2	33 1/2		Nat. Dairy Products	15 1/2	14 1/2	
Atchison, T. & S. Fe.	34 1/2	35 1/2		Nat. Distillers	24 1/2	24 1/2	
Auburn Motors	4	3 1/2		Nat. Power & Light	8 1/2	8 1/2	
Baltimore & Ohio ..	8 1/2	7 1/2		Nat. Supply Corp'n.	17 1/2	17 1/2	
Barber & Co.	19 1/2	19 1/2		New York Central ..	18 1/2	17 1/2	
Barnsdall Oil	18	17 1/2		N. America Aviation	9 1/2	9 1/2	
Bethlehem Steel	55 1/2	55 1/2		North America Co.	20 1/2	20 1/2	
Boeing Airplane Co.	25	25 1/2		Northern Pacific ..	11 1/2	12	
Borg-Warner	30 1/2	31 1/2		Pacific Gas & Elec	26 1/2	26 1/2	
Briggs Manufacturing	32 1/2	33 1/2		Pacific Lighting	37 1/2	38	
Brooklyn-Manhattan				Packard Motors	5	5	
Trans.	92	10 1/2		Paramount Pictures	9 1/2	9 1/2	
Brooklyn-Manhattan				Pennsylvania R.R. ..	20	19 1/2	
\$8 cum. pf.	31	32 1/2		Phillips Petroleum ..	40 1/2	40 1/2	
Canadian Pacific	61	61		Public Service of N.J.	29 1/2	29 1/2	
Case, J.I.	90	90		Pure Oil	11	10 1/2	
Chesapeake & Ohio	29 1/2	29 1/2		Radio Corp'n. of Am.	7	6 1/2	
Chrysler Corp'n.	69 1/2	71 1/2		Republic Steel	17 1/2	17 1/2	
Columbia Gas & El.	64	64		Reynold Tobac. "B"	42 1/2	41 1/2	
Columbia 8% "A" pf.	64	64		Schenley	13	13 1/2	
Commercial Credit ..	46 1/2	46 1/2		Schenley, 5 1/2 pf'd.	75 1/2	74 1/2	
Commonwealth & S.		11		Sears, Roebuck	71 1/2	71	
Commonwealth & S.				Shell Union Oil	15	15 1/2	
6% cum pf.	36	35 1/2		Secony-Vacuum Oil	14 1/2	14 1/2	
Consolidated Edison	26 1/2	26 1/2		Southern Pacific	17 1/2	18	
Consolidated Oil	94	94		Southern Ry 5 1/2 pf'd.	17 1/2	17	
Continental Can	44 1/2	45 1/2		Standard Brands	7 1/2	7 1/2	
Continental Oil	33 1/2	32 1/2		Stand Gas & Elec.	4	3 1/2	
Corn. Products	69 1/2	69 1/2		Standard Oil of N.J.	54	53 1/2	
Curtiss Wright (C.)	54	54		Stone & Webster	9 1/2	9 1/2	
Curtiss Wright "A"	22 1/2	22 1/2		Swift International	26 1/2	26 1/2	
Distillers Corp'n Sea-				Technicolor	23	22 1/2	
grams	15 1/2	15 1/2		Texas Gulf Sulphur	35 1/2	35 1/2	
Douglas Aircraft	48 1/2	47 1/2		20th (Int. Fox Films	24 1/2	24 1/2	
Du Pont	129	130		do. Films pf.	32 1/2	32 1/2	
Eagle Picher Lead	10 1/2	10 1/2		Union Carbide &			
Elec. Bond & Share	7 1/2	7 1/2		Carbon	80 1/2	80 1/2	
Elec. Bond & Share				Union Pacific	90	88	
\$5 pf.	50	48 1/2		United Aircraft	25 1/2	26 1/2	
Elec. Bond & Share				United Airlines Trans	8 1/2	8 1/2	
\$8 pf.	55	55 1/2		United Corp'n.	21	21	
Elec. Power & Light				United Corp'n. \$3			
\$7 pf.	35 1/2	36 1/2		cum. pf.	31 1/2	31 1/2	
Flinckote	21 1/2	21		United Gas Corp'n.	3 1/2	3 1/2	
Gen. America Trans	48	47		Un. Gas Improv'm't	10 1/2	10 1/2	
Gen. Electric	41	40 1/2		U.S. Rubber	43 1/2	44 1/2	
Gen. Motors	45 1/2	46 1/2		U.S. Rubber pf.	85 1/2	85	
Gen. Railway Signal	21	20 1/2		U.S. Steel	57 1/2	57 1/2	
Glidden Co.	23 1/2	23 1/2		Vanadium	19 1/2	18 1/2	
Goodrich (S.F.)	23 1/2	24 1/2		Warner Bros. Pict. ..	6	6	
Goodrich \$5 pf.	55	57 1/2		Westinghouse Elec.	99 1/2	100 1/2	
Goodyear Tire & Co.	26 1/2	27 1/2		Westwood Iron Corp.	19	19 1/2	
Great Northern Iron				Chase National Bk.	31 1/2	30 1/2	
Ore	12 1/2	12 1/2		National City Bank	25	24 1/2	
Great Northern Ry.	21 1/2	20 1/2		Call Money	1 1/2	1 1/2	

BANKS

HONG KONG AND SHANGHAI
BANKING CORPORATION

Authorized Capital \$50,000,000
Issued & Fully Paid-Up \$30,000,000
Reserve Funds 2,630,000,000
H.K. Currency Reserve \$10,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors \$30,000,000

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Local Currency and Fixed Deposits
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rencies on terms which will be
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Also up to date Safe Deposit
Boxes in various sizes To Let.
Hong Kong, 2nd May, 1938.

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is conducted by the HONG KONG
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For the Hong Kong & Shanghai
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D. C. Edmondston,
Acting Chief Manager.
Hong Kong, 2nd May, 1938.

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INDIA, LIMITED.

Head Office—15, Gracechurch Street, London, E.C.3

Authorized Capital £25,000,000
Subscribed Capital £1,000,000
Paid-up Capital £1,000,000
Reserve Fund and Ret. £1,247,350

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The Bank of England and Midland Bank, Ltd.

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THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA
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Incorporated by Royal Charter, 1853

HEAD OFFICE: LONDON:

38, Bishopsgate E.C.2

Paid-up Capital £3,000,000

Reserve Fund £3,000,000

Reserve Liability of Pro-
prietors £3,000,000

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Today

TEST MATCH COMMENTARIES

RELAYED FROM LONDON

Hotel Orchestra

12-12.20 p.m. Relay of Service

of Intercession from St. John's

Cathedral.

12.30 p.m. Beethoven—Sonata in

C Sharp Minor ("Moonlight"). Op.

27, No. 2.

Played by Egon Petri (Piano)

(Solo).

12.45 p.m. Sibelius—Symphonic

Poem "Night-Ride And Sunrise."

Up. 55.

Played by The B.B.C. Symphony

Orchestra conducted by Adrian

Boult.

1 p.m. Local Time Signal and

Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Louis, Levy, And His

Gaumont British Orchestra.

Empire Builders—March (From

Rhodes Of Africa). Music From

The Movies—March: "Radio City

Revels"—Selection. Intro: Take a

tip from the Tulp; There's a new

moon over the old Mill; Swingin'

in the Corn; Goodnight, Angel;

The Eyes Of The World Are On

You; Jingle Of The Jungle (From

London Melody); Everybody Sing

—Film Selection. Intro: Swing

Mr. Mendelssohn; Melody Farm;

The one I Love; Swing High, Swing

Low (From the Film).

1.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby

Press. Weather Forecast and An-
nouncements.

1.40 p.m. "Yes Madam"

With—Binnie Hale, Bobby Howes,

Bertha Belmore, Billy Leonard,

Harcourt Brook, Wylie Watson,

Vera Pearce and the Hippodrome

Theatre Chorus of Girls with the

Hippodrome Theatre Orchestra

conducted by Joseph Fumbridge.

2.15 p.m. Close Down.

6 p.m. Haydn—Symphony No. 45

("Farewell") in F Sharp Minor.

Played by The London Symphony

Orchestra conducted by Sir Henry

J. Wood.

6.25 p.m. London Relay—The

Fifth Cricket Test Match England

v. Australia.

A commentary on the opening

overs of the match by Howard

Marshall from Kennington Oval

London.

6.40 p.m. Selections from Verdi's

Operas.

Aida—Grand March—The B.B.C.

Wireless Symphony Orchestra con-
ducted by Percy Pitt; Aida—Act 3.

O Ciel Azzurri (O. Skies Celestial);

Dusolina Giamini (Soprano) and

Members of the Orchestra of La

Scala, Milan conducted by Carlo

Sabajno; Ciel Mio Padre (Heaven

my Father)—Dusolina Giamini

(Soprano) and Giovanni Inghilleri

(Baritone) and Members of the

Orch. of La Scala, Milan conducted

by Carlo Sabajno; Rigoletto;

Gilda's Aria: "Caro Nome"—Lina

Pagliughi (Soprano) with the

Milan Symphony Orchestra con-
ducted by Ugo Tansini; "Rigoletto"

Act 3: La Donna E Mobile—Jussi

Borling (Tenor) with Orchestra

conducted by Nils Grevillius; "La

Traviata"; Violetta's Aria—Part 1.

Act 1. "E strano e strano!" Violet-

ta's Aria—Part 2. Act 1. "Sempre

libera"—Maria Cebotari (Soprano)

with The Berlin State Opera Or-

chestra conducted by Prof. Robert

Heger; Ballo in Maschera (A Mask-

ed Ball)—Act 1: "Di tu se Fedele"

—Evelyn Lohm (Tenor) with the

German State Opera Chorus and

Orchestra conducted by Prof. Robert

Heger; La Forza Del Destino

—Pace Mio Dio (Peace, Oh God)

—Claudia Muzio (Soprano) with

Orchestra; "Otello"—Act 4: Nium

Mi Tena (Do not fear me)—Honato

Zanelli (Tenor) and Mem-

bers of La Scala—Orchestra Milan

conducted by Carlo Sabajno.

7.10 p.m. Closing local Stock

Quotations.

7.20 p.m. London Relay—"Food

For Thought".

Three short talks on matters of

topical interest.

7.40 p.m. Variety.

Hungarian Gypsy Orchestra—La

Paloma (Yradler)—Magyar Imre

and His Hungarian Gypsy Orches-

tra; Organ Solo—Nola (Arndt)—

Sydney Custard at the Organ of

Gaumont Palace Cinema, Chester;

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1.00 p.m.—"Food for Thought"

(D 1).

1.20—Recital by Elisabeth Schu-

mann, soprano (D 1).

1.50—"She Stoops to Conquer"

(D 1).

2.30—Short Pianoforte Recital

(D 1).

2.50—News (D 1).

4.40—Sporting News and Notes

(A).

5.00—Recorded Music (A).

5.25—Commentary on News (A).

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6.25—The Fifth Test Match.

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7.20—"Food for Thought" (D 2).

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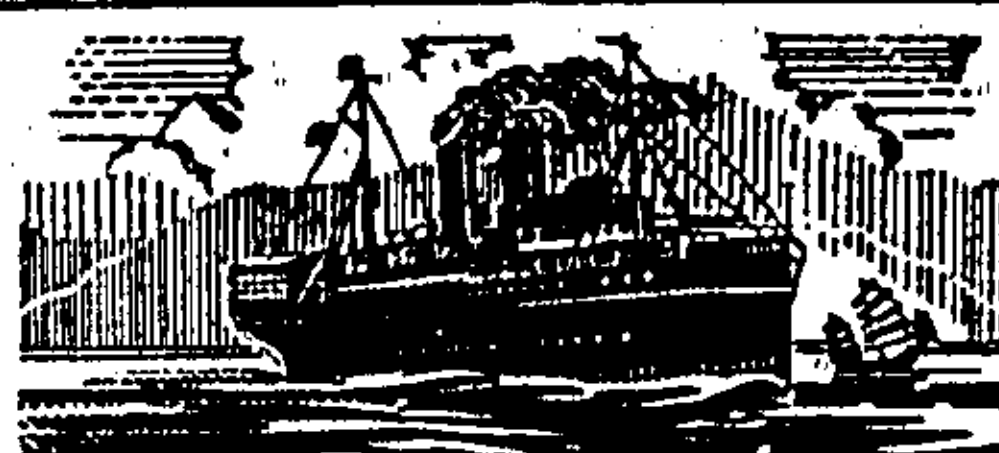
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From 20 to 26 August, 1938

		Hong Kong Standard Time	Hong Kong Standard Time	Height
Days of Week	Date	High Water	Low Water	
Sat.	20	h.m. 03 15	m. 11 31	2.2
		07 40	03 30	3.7
Sun.	21	04 30	08 18	1.7
		19 15	12 28	3.8
Mon.	22	05 43	07 32	1.3
		20 10	13 31	3.7
Tue.	23	06 50	06 44	1.0
		20 50	14 16	1.0
Wed.	24	07 52	07 15	3.4
		21 54	14 05	0.9
Thur.	25	08 47	07 02	3.6
		22 59	13 50	1.0
Fri.	26	09 38	06 58	3.6
		23 31	13 05	1.2

WEATHER REPORT

HONG KONG ROYAL OBSERVATORY

10 a.m. August 19.

Barometer (at sea level), 29.71 ins.

Temperature, 81 F.

Humidity, 89 per cent.

Wind direction, North/West.

Wind force (Beaufort), 3.

Temperature; maximum yesterday, 84 F.

Temperature; minimum last night, 79 F.

Rainfall for 24 hours ending 10th today, 0.81 ins.

Total rainfall since January 1st, 41.20 ins.

Against an average of, 62.31 ins.

Sunset tonight, 5.52 p.m.

Sunrise tomorrow, 6.02 a.m.

4 p.m. August 19.

Barometer (at sea level), 29.68 ins.

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Taiyuan, British, 2,100 registered tons, Captain Fraiser, from Shanghai and Swatow, at buoy No. B7, a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Kiangsu, British, 1,555 registered tons, Captain L. Evans, from Haiphong, Pakhol and Hothow, at buoy No. B7, a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Tai Poo Sek, French, 1,219 registered tons, Captain J. Bonnamour, from K. C. Wan, at buoy No. B7, p.m.—Tai Fung & Co. (Tel. 20093).

DUE TOMORROW

Conte Blancamano, Italian, 13,682 registered tons, Capt. G. Ferrara, from Singapore, at Kowloon Wharf, a.m.—Lloyd Trieste (Tel. 32983).

Tai Shan, Panamanian, from New York via Manila, at buoy A7, 6 a.m.—Dodwell and Co. (Tel. 28021).

Siam, Danish, from Japan and Shanghai, at buoy No. A7, a.m.—East Asiatic & Co. (Tel. 34111).

Tijnegara, Dutch, 5,783 registered tons, Capt. J. Adriaanse, from Shanghai and Amoy, at Kowloon Wharf, p.m.—J. C. J. Line (Tel. 28015).

ARRIVED YESTERDAY

Produce, Norwegian, 743 registered tons, Captain E. Winsnes, from Macao, at Kowloon Bay—Cheong Fat Lee (Tel. 32584).

Yuen Sang, British, 1,933 registered tons, Captain E. J. Laurence, from Japan ports, at buoy No. A5—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

IN RADIO TOUCH

The following is the list of ships expected to be in wireless communication with Hong Kong Radio:

Ping Wo, Taiyuan, Sul Sang, Elbhor, Yat Shing, Kum Sang, Empress of Russia, Conte Rosso, President Pierce, Leana, Van Heutsz, Crefeld, Chitral, Empress of Canada, Laomogon, Willy, Helyo Maru, Gustav Diederichsen, City of Bedford.

SAILING TODAY

Naldera, British, 5,872 registered tons, Captain Parfitt, from Kowloon Wharf, for Singapore, Bombay, Marseilles and London, noon—M. M. and Co. (Tel. 27721).

Yuen Sang, British, 1,933 registered tons, Captain E. J. Laurence, from buoy No. A5, for Singapore, Penang and Calcutta, 2 p.m.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Canton, French, 976 registered tons, Captain G. Charlot, from buoy No. B10, for Haiphong, 4 p.m.—M. M. (Tel. 28651).

SAILING TOMORROW

Anshun, British, 1,869 registered tons, Captain J. Beck, from buoy No. B20, for Amoy, Swatow, Singapore and Penang, 9 a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Conte Blancamano, Italian, 13,682 registered tons, Capt. G. Ferrara, from Kowloon Wharf, for Manila, Bombay, Colombo, Singapore, Egypt and Italy, p.m.—Lloyd Trieste (Tel. 32983).

Kut Sang, British, 3,652 registered tons, Captain D. R. Kilbee, from Kowloon Wharf, for Kobe and Osaka, 4 p.m.—J. M. and Co. (Tel. 30311).

Kingyuan, British, 1,546 registered tons, Captain N. Hardie, from buoy No. B7, for Swatow and Shanghai, 6 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Wing Sang, British, from buoy No. B7, for Swatow, Shanghai, Tientsin and Chefoo, 4 p.m.—J. M. and Co. (Tel. 30311).

Tai Shan, Panamanian, from buoy No. A7, for Shanghai, Japan, New York, Boston and Los Angeles, p.m.—Dodwell and Co. (Tel. 28021).

Ermland, German, from Kowloon Wharf, for Shanghai, Dairen, Tokyo, Yokohama, Kobe and Osaka, p.m.—Jensen and Co. (Tel. 31205).

Siam, Danish, from buoy No. A7, for Japan, Shanghai, Singapore, Port Said, Dunkirk, Rotterdam, Antwerp, Hamburg and Europe, etc., p.m.—East Asiatic and Co. (Tel. 34111).

SAILED YESTERDAY

Pingal for Samarinda, Haithor for Canton, City of Bedford for Saigon, Unita for Calcutta.

Irrawaddy for Haiphong, Gertrude Maersk for Manila, Chungking for Canton, Ting Sang for Haiphong, Man Sang for Sandakan, Sagres for Swatow, Hong Sang for Singapore, Wing Wah for Hothow.

VESSELS DUE

Aeneas, B. & S., August 22, Alipore, P. & O., August 27, Bhutan, P. & O., September 9, Burgenland, Jensen's, Sept. 4, Calcutta, P. & O., September 5, Carthage, P. & O., August 31, C/Blancamano, L. Trieste, Aug. 21, City of Bagdad, Bank Line, Sept. 12, City of Elwood, Thoresen's, August 21, City of Oran, Bank Line, September 17, Conte Rosso, L. Trieste, Aug. 26, Corfu, P. & O., September 8, Cramer, J.C.J. Line, August 23, Decaulion, B. & S., August 31, Donau, Melchers, August 23, Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 9, Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., August 23, Ermland, Jensen's, August 31, G.G. Paul Dumar, C.A.N., Aug. 23, Glenary, J.M. & Co., Aug. 31, Glenshiel, J.M. & Co., Sept. 2, Gneissau, Melchers, August 26, Grootekerk, J.C.J. Line, Sept. 4, Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., August 26, Hans Rickmers, Jensen's, August 21, Hupoh, B. & S., August 23, India, East Asiatic & Co., August 29, Ixion, B. & S., September 5, Kama Maru, N.Y.K., August 26, Kama Maru, N.Y.K., August 27, Kiangsu, B. & S., Aug. 20, Kiangchow, B. & S., August 20, Kumsang, J.M. & Co., Aug. 25, London Maru, O.S.K., September 1, Mar. Joffre, Messageries, Sept. 1, Nankin, P. & O., S.S. Co., Sept. 3, Patroclus, B. & S., Sept. 9, Peter Maersk, Jensen's, Aug. 26, Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 26, Pres. Cleveland, Dollar's, Sept. 8, Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, August 23, Rajputana, B. & S., Sept. 14, Regensburg, Melchers, Aug. 23, Riga, J.C.J. Line, August 22, Santha, B.I. (Apar), August 30, Sauerland, Jensen's, August 24, Scharnhorst, Melchers, Sept. 7, Shirala, B.I. (Apar), August 23, Siam, East Asiatic & Co., August 21, Soerabaja, B. & S., August 22, Soudan, P. & O., August 30, Tainier, B. & S., Sept. 6, Tai Shan, Dodwell's, August 23, Taiyuan, B. & S., Aug. 20, Takelays Maru, N.Y.K., August 22, Talma, B.I. (Apar), September 2, Tania, P. & O., S.S. Co., August 31, Tarompa, Thoresen's, August 27, Titan, B. & S., August 31, Tjibadak, J.C.J. Line, Aug. 24/25, Tijnegara, J.C.J. Line, Aug. 21, Tjibadak, J.C.J. Line, August 24, Tjibadak, J.C.J. Line, August 29, Troja, Thoresen's, September 7.

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS

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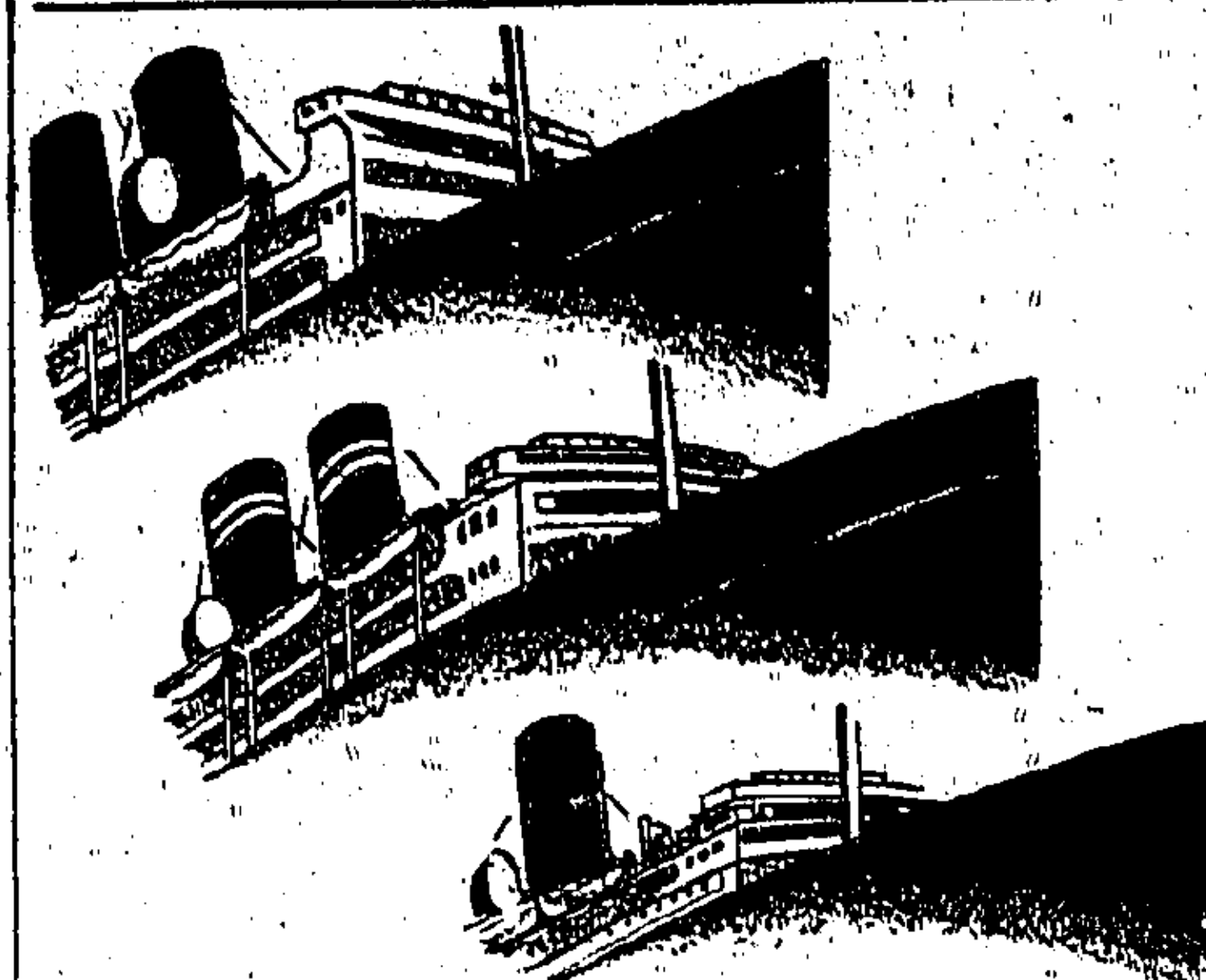
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CARTHAGE	14,500	1st Oct.	Marseilles & London
*SOUDAN	6,000	8th Oct.	H'burg, M'rs, Havre, L'don, Hull, H'burg, R'dam, & A'werp
BAJPUTANA	17,000	15th Oct.	Marseilles & London
BANGHI	17,000	22nd Oct.	H'burg, M'rs, Havre, L'don, Hull, H'burg, R'dam, & A'werp
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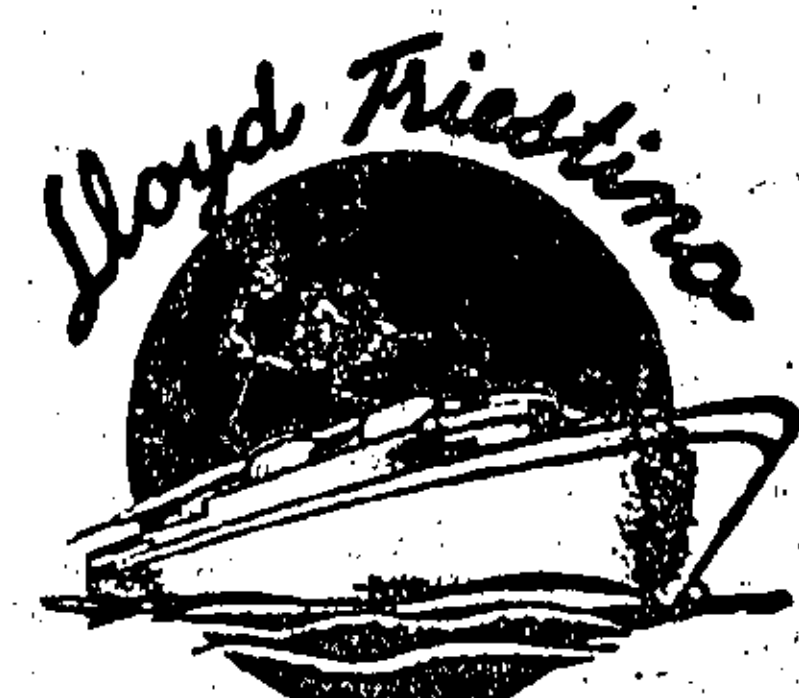
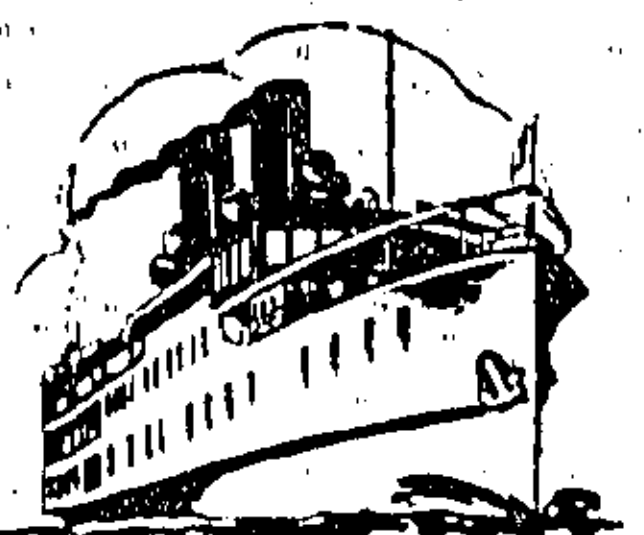
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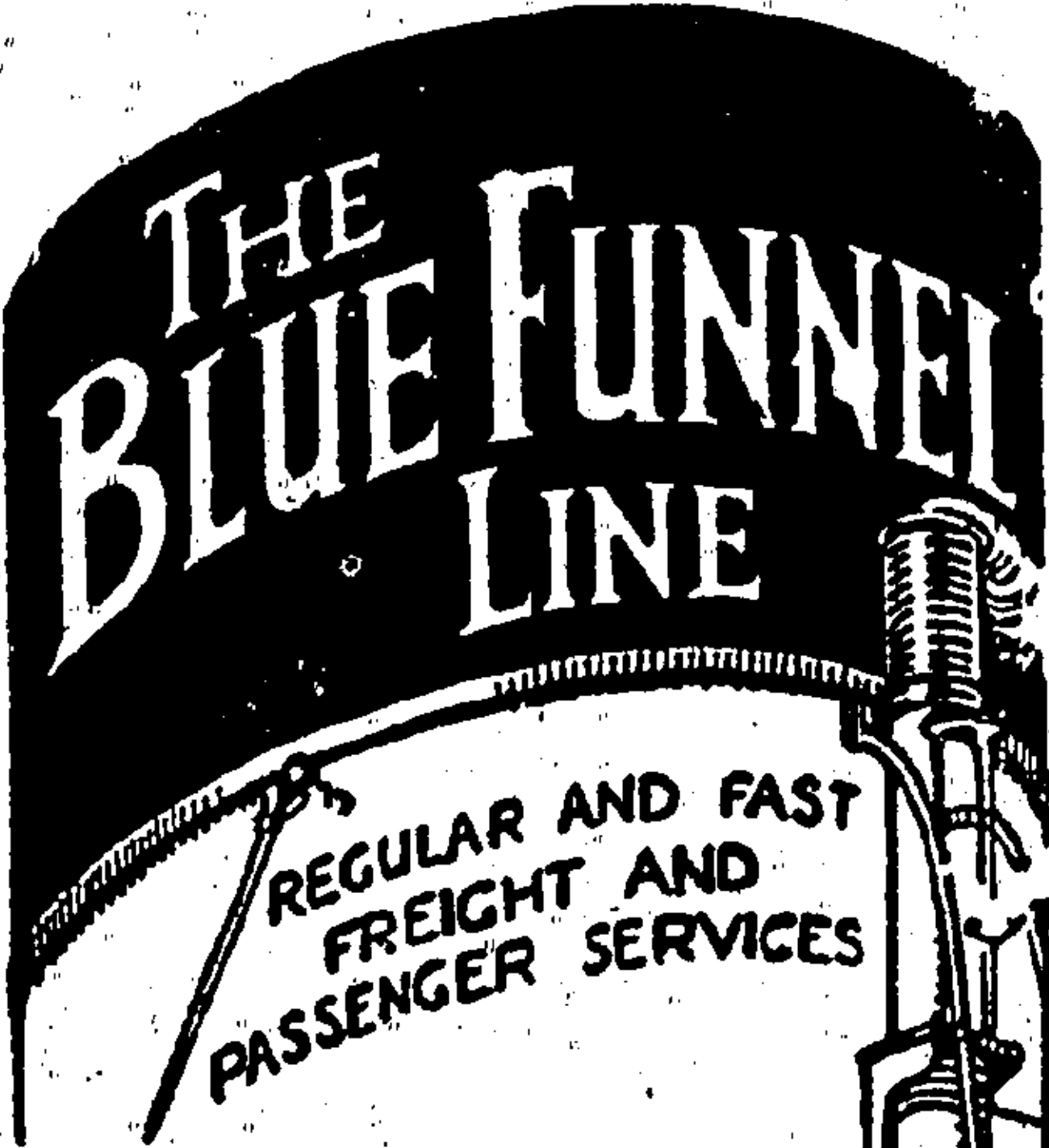
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ANNUAL TENNIS EVENT

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DOUBLES

First Round

Q.M.S. Warr and A. N. Other v. Q.M.S. Aslett and Cpl. Wadler.
S/Sgt. Adlam and Sgt. McClafferty v. S. M. Barton and Cpl. Webb.
S/Sgt. Owen and S/Sgt. Chesterton v. L/Cpl. Stanford and Sgmn. Dixon.
S.Q.M.S. Pittman and Sgt. O'Connor v. Q.M.S. Bostock and Sgt. Quinnell.
L/Cpl. Emberson and L/Cpl. Duffield v. Sgt. Hayes and Spr. Waring.
S.Q.M.S. Taylor and S.Q.M.S. Bradshaw v. S/Sgt. Flinter and Sgt. Earl.

S/Sgt. Wellwood and C.Q.M.S. Eaton v. Q.M.S. Durnford and Cpl. Musson.
Sgt. Gill and L/Cpl. Wilson v. L/Cpl. Austin and Sgmn. Pitcher.
Q.M.S. Buckle and Sgt. Mettam v. Sgt. Fraser and Cpl. Anderson.
S/Sgt. Daniels and Cpl. Tudor v. Cpl. Keefe and Pte. Attridge.
Byes Into Second Round
S. M. Green and Q.M.S. Wedlock v. Pte. Martin and Pte. Hartley.
C/Sgt. Colebourne and Sgt. Baylis v. S/Sgt. Mitchell and Spr. Ellsley.
S. M. Kingsland and Sgt. Skinner v. L/Cpl. Powell and Pte. Dunne.

SINGLES

First Round

Q.M.S. Warr (R.E.) v. Sgt. Mettam (R.E.).
Spr. Goodman (R.E.) v. Spr. Waring (R.E.).
L/Cpl. Stanford (R. Sigs) v. L/Cpl. Wilson (R.A.O.C.).
Sgt. Earl (R.A.) v. Cpl. Keefe (Middlesex).
L/Cpl. Emberson (R.A.O.C.) v. Pte. Hartley (R.A.O.C.).
S/Sgt. Mitchell (R.E.) v. C/Sgt. Colebourne (Middlesex).
Q.M.S. Durnford (R.A.M.C.) v. Spr. Ellsley (R.E.).
Q.M.S. Wedlock (R.E.) v. Pte. Attridge (Middlesex).
Pte. Martin (R.A.S.C.) v. Q.M.S. Buckle (R.E.).
L/Sgt. Land (R.E.) v. Pte. Dunne (Middlesex).

Second Round Byes
Sgt. Hayes (R.E.).
Cpl. Wadler (R.A.O.C.) v. Sgt. Gill (R.A.O.C.).
L/Cpl. Duncan (R. Scots) v. Cpl. Denyer (R.E.).
S/Sgt. Daniels (R.E.) v. Q.M.S. Bostock (R.E.).
S. M. Kingsland (R.E.) v. Sgt. McClafferty (R.A.P.C.).
Cpl. Tudor (R.E.) v. S. M. Barton (R.A.M.C.).
C.Q.M.S. Eaton (R.E.) v. S.Q.M.S. Taylor (R.A.P.C.).
Sgt. O'Connor (R.A.P.C.) v. Cpl. Archibald (R. Scots).
S. M. Green (R.E.) v. S/Sgt. Adlam (R.A.P.C.).
Cpl. Duffield (R.A.O.C.) v. S/Sgt. Wellwood (R.E.).
Cpl. Webb (R.A.M.C.) v. Sgt. Quinnell (R.E.).
S/Sgt. Flinter (R.A.).

NEW JAPANESE MINISTER IN BUDAPEST

Budapest, August 18.
The new Japanese Minister in Budapest, Mr. Hajime Matsumiya, handed his letters of credence to Admiral Horthy, the Hungarian Regent yesterday.
At the same time he presented to the Hungarian Chief of State, on behalf of the Emperor of Japan, the highest class of the Chrysanthemum Order.—(Transocean)

FUNERAL OF FATHER HLINKA

Prague, August 19.
A guard of honour of 300 men of the Czechoslovak Army, headed by the Army Corps Leader, General Elias, will attend the funeral of the late Slovak Leader, Father Hlinka, at Roseburg on Sunday.—(Transocean)

Turner and Elspeth Schreiber. 2—(a) Traum durch die Dammerung (Strauss) (b) Maria Wiegand (Max Reger)—Elspeth Schreiber. 3—Piano Solo—Impromptu in B Flat, Op. 142, No. 3 (Schubert)—A. T. Lay. 4—(a) Ständchen (b) O Heilichs Wange (Brahms)—Eva Turner. 5—(a) Landliches Lied (b) ntern Fenster (Schumann)—Duet: Eva Turner and Elspeth Schreiber. Concerto For Violoncello and Orchestra, Op. 85 (Cello)—Beatrice Harrison and the New Symphony Orchestra conducted by Sir Edward Elgar. Bavarian Dances, Op. 27—London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Sir Edward Elgar. 9.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby Press: Weather Forecast and Announcements.
8.03 p.m. Orchestral Selection: Toy Symphony (Haydn)—Felix Weingartner conducting the British Symphony Orchestra.
8.19 p.m. Studio—A Concert by Eva Turner (Soprano), Elspeth Schreiber (Mezzo-Soprano and A. T. Lay (Piano).
1—(a) Sonntagsmorgen; (b) Walglocken Und Die Blumelein (Mendelssohn)—Duet: Eva

Japanese Colony Here Reduced

MANY ORDERED TO RETURN HOME

The Japanese colony in Hong Kong, already greatly reduced as compared with normal times since the outbreak of the Sino-Japanese war, will be further reduced in numbers in the near future as the result of departures occasioned by official orders from Tokyo.

The number of Japanese nationals here, which was over 2,000, was brought down to not more than 500 within recent months.
On Thursday, 70 left for Japan under orders, and between 30 and 40, members of the staff of a big concern here, are preparing to leave shortly.

RELUCTANT TO LEAVE

It is understood that local Japanese, some of whom have been engaged in business here for many years, are rather reluctant to return to their own country and are neither keen to join the fighting forces nor take part in battle against Chinese towards whom they bear no grudge or grievance. In the circumstances, however, they have no freedom of choice, but perceptibly changed men and a sad resignation express better than words their real feelings.

TEST MATCH

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of the same speed and accuracy of the late S.M.J. Woods. He, much more so than "Gubby" Allen, or J.W.A. Stephenson, can keep going for long periods at a stretch. If only Larwood could be at the other end. . . . However, Bill Bowes of Yorkshire, even though he may not now bump them, is no slouch. Verity, of course, is Verity, and with Hammond and one or two others to call upon, the English attack should not too badly, should be able to out the other side for, say under 500, or thereabouts!

AUSTRALIAN TEAM

At the moment of writing the Australian team has not yet been announced, but it is to be presumed that there will not be more than a change or two from the side that won the Ashes at Leeds. The names were:—Bradman, McCabe, Brown, Fingleton, Badcock, Fleetwood-Smith, O'Reilly, B.F. Barnett, McCormick, Waite and Hissett, with S. Barnes as 12th man.
To sum up prospects, if Bradman, McCabe, O'Reilly, McCormick, and, to be on the safe-side Fleetwood-Smith, were not playing, I would predict a sure victory for England! Seriously, though the game should be a good one, and open, I think the men from down under will add another feather to their cap.

BY CLIPPER SHIP TO MANILA

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When you disembark and are met by Phil Delany Pan-American Airways' Traffic Representative you almost feel that you should thank him for such a perfect week of vacationing, and take this opportunity to do so.

Shipment of old copper coins out of Shanghai has been kept up unabated in spite of efforts made by interested parties to check the outflow, states a Shanghai message. Owing to the steady shipment, it is stated, the old coins have almost entirely disappeared from the market.

FOREIGN MAILS

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Air Mail Services to Shanghai, Nanking, Tientsin and Peiping are temporarily suspended.

Letters and Postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

INWARD MAILS

From	Per	Due
Shanghai and Swatow	Taiyuan	30th Aug.
Shanghai and Swatow	Klungchow	10th Aug.
Haiphong, Pakhoi and Hoihow	Kiangsu	10th Aug.
Shanghai	Conte	
	Biancamano	21st Aug.
Shanghai	Titan	21st Aug.
Shanghai and Swatow	Hupeh	23rd Aug.
Straits	Ruys	23rd Aug.
Shanghai and Amoy	Soochow	3rd Aug.
Japan and Shanghai	Aeneas	32nd Aug.
Straits	Cremor	22nd Aug.
Saigon	G.G. Paul Doume	23rd Aug.
U.S.A. Honolulu, Japan and Manila (San Francisco—date, 29th July)	Pres. Coolidge	23rd Aug.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 17th August.	Imperial Airways Plane	24th Aug.
Straits	Eumaeus	24th Aug.
Manila	Pleasantville	24th Aug.
Straits and Hoihow	Muinam	24th Aug.
Calcutta and Straits	Kumsang	25th Aug.
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C. date, 6th August)	Emp. of Russia	10th Aug.
Japan	Shirala	25th Aug.
Japan and Shanghai	Gneisenau	25th Aug.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 21st August.	Imperial Airways Plane	26th Aug.
Straits	Conte Rosso	26th Aug.
Japan, Shanghai and Formosa	Hakusan Maru	26th Aug.
Japan	Kamo Maru	26th Aug.
Air Mail by "Pan-American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 20th August.	Pan-American Airways Plane	27th Aug.
Straits	Kasima Maru	27th Aug.
Java and Manila	Tjisadane	29th Aug.
Calcutta and Straits	Santhia	30th Aug.
Shanghai	Glenshiel	30th Aug.
Straits	Soudan	31st Aug.
Straits and Manila	Deucalion	31st Aug.
Japan	Tanda	31st Aug.
Saigon	Marechal Joffre	31st Aug.

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For	Per	Date and Time
SATURDAY		
Samshul and Wuchow	Kongso	Saturday, 20th 8.15 AM
Air Mail for "K.L.M. Airways Direct Service"—due Amsterdam, 30th August.		G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 9.30 AM Ord. 10.00 AM
Kongmoon	Naldara	10.00 AM
Straits, Sandakan, Ceylon, India, E. & S. Africa, Aden, Egypt, Malta and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 16th September	Fook On	10.00 AM
Fort Bayard, Hoihow and Pakhoi		G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 10th 5.00 PM Reg. 20th 9.45 AM Ord. 20th 10.30 AM
Haiphong	Wing Wah	Noon
Manila, Straits, Ceylon, India, Egypt and Europe via Naples—due Naples, 12th September	Canton	7.00 PM
Air Mail for Sian, Lanchow, Changsha and Chengtu, etc. (via Hankow) by the "Eurasia Airways Service" (To further points by surface transport as Services permit).	Conte-Biancamano	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 4.15 PM Ord. 5.00 PM
Amoy		G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 4.30 PM Ord. 5.00 PM
Japan and "EUROPE via Siberia"	Eurasia Plane	5.00 PM
	Anshun	5.00 PM
	Kutsang	5.00 PM
SUNDAY		
Swatow and Shanghai	Kingyuan	Sunday, 21st 9.00 AM
Swatow, Shanghai and Tientsin	Wingsang	9.00 AM
Air Mail for Sian, Lanchow, Changsha and Chengtu etc. (via Hankow) by the "Eurasia Airways Service" (To further points by surface transport as Services permit).		G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 20th 5.00 PM Ord. 21st Noon
Air Mail for Wuchow and Chungking by the "C.N.A.C. Airways Direct Service."	Eurasia Plane	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 2.45 PM Ord. 21st Noon
	C.N.A.C. Plane	
MONDAY		
Samshul and Wuchow	Chung On	Monday, 22nd 8.15 AM
Japan	Tilawa	8.30 AM
Kongmoon	Tai Lee	11.00 AM
Airmail for "France Orient Airways Service"—due Marseilles, 4th September.		G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 11.30 AM Ord. Noon
Saigon	Lyeemoon	12.30 PM
Saigon	Titan	1.30 PM
		K.P.O. Reg. 6.00 PM Ord. 6.30 PM
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 29th August.	Imperial Airways Plane	G.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
Airmail for Malaya and Australia by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Sydney, 29th August.	Imperial Airways Plane	G.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
TUESDAY		
Samshul and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Tuesday, 23rd 8.15 AM
Manila, Makassar and Surabaya	Tjinegara	8.30 AM
Air Mail for "K.L.M. Airways Direct Service"—due Amsterdam, 4th September.	Aeneas	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 8.3 AM Ord. 9.00 AM

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